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There are some of the Most Beautiful styles and patterns this season that we have ever seen.

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CLERICAL MEETING.

Archdeaconry of Williamsport Holds Session In St. Paul's

LARGE ATTENDANCE.

The fall session of the Archdeaconry of Williamsport began in St. Paul's P. E. Church on Monday. Evening service began at 8 o'clock. The procession from the Parish House into the church included the vested choir of thirty-two, twenty-four clergymen, and the Bishop, all in full vestments, the Bishop's chaplain bearing the pastoral staff. The line extended from the chancel back into the Parish House.

After evening prayer addresses were made by Rev. F. F. Eastment of Phillipsburg, and Bishop Darlington, their topics being on different phases of the Pan-Anglican Congress in London during the summer, at which they were present.

On Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock there was a celebration of the Holy communion, after which a business meeting of the Archdeaconry was held in the Parish House, where the missionary reports were read.

At one o'clock a dinner was served to the visiting clergy in the dining hall, by the ladies of the parish, which was followed by after dinner speeches by several of the guests.

In the afternoon a literary session was held at which an exegesis was read by Rev. W. N. Jones of Christ Church, Williamsport; an essay by Rev. Robert Bell and a critique by Rev. H. B. Chapman. A resolution was passed expressing the appreciation of the hospitality of the parish.

At 7:30 p. m. evening service was held, at which addresses were made by the Revs. G. W. Atkinson of Sunbury, Lewis Nichols of Sunbury, and John Hewitt of Bellefonte. They were all most enjoyable, and the entire session was an inspiring one. The music rendered by the choir at all the services was excellent, and many compliments were paid them by the visiting clergy.

Archdeacon William Heakes presided at all of the meetings.

The number of clergy was unusually large, there being about twenty six present.

Among these were the Revs. G. W. Atkinson, of Sunbury; L. F. Baker, of Selinsgrove; W. H. Benford, of Westfield; H. B. Chapman, of Brookland; O. H. Bridgeman, of Berwick; A. R. Dewitt, of Muncy; C. E. Fessenden, of Montoursville; William Heakes, of Wellsboro; H. G. Hartman, of Shamokin; W. M. Gamble, of Renovo; R. F. Gibson, Williamsport; W. N. Jones, of Williamsport; E. H. Houghton, of Danville; Lewis Nichols, of Lock Haven; John Hewitt, of Bellefonte; J. M. Rich, of Jersey Shore; J. O. Null, of Laporte; L. M. Quinn, of Antrim, and Roland E. Nichols, of Newark, N. J.

MISS WEBSTER RESIGNS.

After an efficient service of several years as secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association, Miss E. Vesta Webster has tendered her resignation, to take effect on December 1st.

Under her administration the Association has done an excellent work, and accomplished much good. Her resignation will be generally regretted.

Miss Webster contemplates taking a special course of study at a training school in New York.

THE BALLOT.

Not So Large as at First Expected.

HOW TO MARK IT.

The ballots for the election next Tuesday have been printed at The Columbian Office, and have been delivered to the County Commissioners, who are now packing them for distribution to the several polling districts.

The size of the ballot is fourteen by twenty-two inches. There are six columns of Presidential Electors; Republican, Democratic, Prohibition, Socialist, Independence, and Socialist Labor. There are thirty-four candidates for electors on each ticket, making 204 names. There are two other columns, one at the left with the party names and a square for voting a straight ticket, and another at the right, which has thirty-four blank spaces for writing in the names of any persons for electors whose names are not printed on the ballot.

The lower part of the ballot contains the names of five candidates for the Superior Court, three candidates for Congress, three for Assembly, three for Prothonotary, three for Register and Recorder, three for County Treasurer, three for District Attorney, and one for Mine Inspector, one of each of the above to be elected; four for County Commissioners and four for County Auditors, three of each to be elected. This makes 236 names altogether.

HOW TO MARK BALLOT.

To vote a straight party ticket, put a cross in the square opposite the name of your party. This will vote for every candidate of your party on the ballot.

To split a ticket, put a cross in the square at the head of the column of electors for whom you wish to vote. This will give a vote to the electors only, but to no other candidates. In this case the voter must put a cross after the name of every other candidate in the groups at the bottom of the ballot, for whom he wishes to vote. He can mark but one name for each of the offices, except commissioners and auditors, and for these he can vote for only two of each.

Though the ballot is a large one, it is not complicated, and any man of ordinary understanding ought to be able to mark it correctly by observing the instructions printed at the top of each ballot.

A RARE OLD BOOK.

A. Bruce Black, commissioners' clerk, has just received a valuable addition to his fine collection of rare old books.

It is a first edition volume of the poetical works of George Lord Lyttleton, and came to him from Glasgow, Scotland. The book is well printed in large clear type, and the paper is a hand made linen which looks as clear and fresh as though just from the mill. The book was printed in 1787, by Andrew Toulis, printed for the University of Glasgow. The binding is well preserved.

Mr. Black is an enthusiastic bibliophilist, and has a fine library including many rare volumes.

LYMAN H. HOWE COMING.

An engagement has been made with Lyman H. Howe by Edmund Savage, manager of the Citizens Band, to give an entertainment in the Columbia Theater on the evening of November 18th. for the benefit of the band.

THE MONUMENT.

Going up Rapidly and Soon Ready for Completion.

THE PROGRAM.

Although the date for the dedication of the monument has not yet been definitely fixed, a program has been arranged in part for the exercises on that occasion.

At a joint meeting of the county commissioners, Hess, Pohe and Ringrose, and a committee of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument Association, consisting of J. C. Eves, President, M. P Lutz, Secretary, and William Thomas, treasurer, in the Court House last Thursday. By them it was arranged that Judge Charles C. Evans should make the presentation speech on behalf of the county, and H. A. McKillip Esq. will make the speech of acceptance on behalf of the old soldiers.

The privilege of arranging the program was very properly conceded by the commissioners to the committee of the Monument Association.

The program is as follows:

A parade by the different organizations ending at the square. W. O Holmes, Chief Marshal; Singing by the audience; prayer; Singing by a quartette; Unveiling of Monument; presentation speech; speech of acceptance; addresses by other speakers; singing and benediction.

The monument will be unveiled by ten little girls, who shall be daughters, grand-daughters or great-grand-daughters of veterans of the Civil War. They are to be selected by a voting contest now going on, and which will close on Saturday next. The voting is done by coupons in some of the newspapers, and these coupons are turned over to the committee, who will count them.

Many little girls are anxious for the honor, and to those who are selected it will be an event long to be remembered.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES.

Services are being held every night this week in the Baptist Church. They are of an evangelistic characher, and are being conducted by Rev. Dr. Neil, who is a powerful preacher, and is drawing large and attentive audiences.

WELCOME RAIN.

The several showers that have occured in the last few days have put an end to the long drouth, and gladdened the hearts of the farmers, and everybody else. The lack of water was getting to be a menace in many places.

MRS. MARY WELSH.

In the death of Mrs. Mary Welsh relict of the late Abner Welsh, of Orangeville, a most estimable lady has passed away. The end came last Friday evening at nine o'clock. She had reached a ripe old age, being past eighty-seven years old, and for some time past she has been failing.

Mrs. Welsh was born July 12, 1821. She was married to Abner Welsh in 1839. She was a daughter of Matthias Kline, and she was born where she always lived, at the stone-house farm just north of Orangeville. She was the last surviving charter member of the Orangeville Presbyterian Church, and was previously a member of the Briarcreek church, the mother of all the Presbyterian churches in this section.

The funeral was held on Tuesday morning, and the attendance was very large, thus attesting to the esteem and affection in which she was held. There were many beautiful floral tributes.

The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. D. J. Waller, who was for some years pastor of the Orangeville Presbyterian Church of which Mrs. Welsh was a member, and he paid a beautiful tribute to her life and character.

Six grandsons of the deceased acted as pallbearers, the interment being made in the Orangeville cemetery.

Among the relatives and friends from a distance who attended the funeral were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Patterson, Mrs Drum, Miss Anna Patterson, and Mrs. Weatherby, of Wilkes-Barre; Mrs. Elizabeth Pursel Miss Mary Vance and Dr. and Mrs. Waller, of Bloomsburg; Woodward Robbins and Keifer Long, of Millville; Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Welsh and family, and Mr. Sager, of State College; Charles Carter, of Philadelphia.

The surviving members of Mrs. Welsh's family are the following: Mrs. Archibald Patterson, of Wilkes-Barre; Mrs. R. L. Bowman, John M. Welsh, of Orangeville; Miss Myra V. Welsh, at home; Dr. J. P. Welsh, vice-president of State College. Another daughter, Mrs. Mary H. Adler is now deceased. There are eighteen grand children, and two great-grandchildren.

DEEDS RECORDED.

The following deeds have recently been entered by Recorder of Deeds Frank W. Miller:

William C. George and wife to Harrison Berninger for 35 acres and 13 perches of land in Cleveland township.

Harrison Berninger and wife to Mary Wolfgang for 35 acres and 13 perches of land in Cleveland township.

Hildah D. Adelman and George B. Adelman to W. Floyd Van Sickle for a lot of ground in the village of Central.

David S Ludwig to Samuel S. Haines and Amanda R. Haines for his right, title and interest in a lot of ground situate on South street, Catawissa.

L. H. Boody and wife to Richard Wood and wife for a lot of ground situate in Rupert.

Wesley Morris, administrator of the estate of Margaret M. Smith, to Addison E. Black for a lot of ground situate in Rohrsburg.

Elijah Hinkel and wife to Ellen C. Hower for lot No. 38 in Thompson's addition to the borough of Berwick on the north side of Eleventh street.

Mary Houck and her husband Samuel E. Houck for lot No. 4 in Block A of the village of Aristes.

E. D. Vandine and wife to C. W. Shannon for grist mill property containing 9 acres in the township of Benton.

The Locust Mountain Coal and Iron Co. to Maggie M. Bradley for lot No. 53 in the town plot of the Upper Shanties.

LEG BROKEN.

Robert, youngest son of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Bruner, had his right leg broken above the knee by a fall from the second floor of Charles J. Keller's barn last Wednesday. He and several other boys were sliding on the straw in the mow, and Robert slid against the door, which was unfastened, and fell to the ground. Geo. B. Hunt carried him to his home where the broken limb was set. He will be confined to the house for some weeks.

Dr. W. P. Eveland of Williamsport filled the Presbyterian pulpit last Sunday morning and evening.

EATS HIMSELF TO DEATH

The Indians Dying Off on Account of Gluttony.

ELK GALL A CONDIMENT

Time of Plenty is Fatal—For a Buck to Gorge Himself with Twenty Pounds of Meat in One Night Is No Unusual Thing Among the Indians.

If Thomas A. Edison referred to the American Indians when he said that people were eating themselves to death, he could find plenty corroboration of his theory on the reservations. Overeating is doing more to bring about the extinction of the Sioux and Yankton Indians than race suicide, firewater and all the diseases which haunt the wigwam of the red man.

The great tribe of Sioux Indians is disappearing. The members, it is declared, are literally eating themselves to death on account of the plenty about them. If corroborative evidence was not easily obtained, it would scarcely be accepted as true that in the course of a night of feasting, dancing and story telling the average Indian will consume from ten to fifteen pounds of meat, and if he has an abundance of food and can make his own selection of the parts to be eaten he will swallow without inconvenience not less than twenty pounds of meat in a single night.

Car loads of canned meats are consumed by the overfed Sioux Indians, and some canned foods have become almost as sacred a dish with the red men as the fat dog stew of old for which the Sioux tribe is famous. Among the varieties of canned goods eaten to excess, the oyster holds first place. A hungry Indian will eat half a dozen cans and drink the liquor.

Besides the harm done by eating excessive amounts of food, the fact that it is not properly prepared makes it the more injurious. There is no variety of style about Sioux Indian cookery, no French methods, no necessity for stimulating appetites already overkeen.

A pot full of meat and water is put on the fire by the squaw and allowed to heat, but there is no definite time for the meal to cook and no point in the cooking process when it is done. The dinner is ready when ever her lord comes in and grunts about being hungry.

If the Indian is especially hungry he may begin on the contents of the kettle by the time the meat is fairly warm. There is never any fault finding about the way in which the meat is prepared, and whether it is half raw or done to rags, no objection is made by the head of the family.

The Indian knows the choicest tidbits of every animal and how to cook them. The hunt at this time of the year gives the Sioux Indian the fullest enjoyment of his appetite, and during the next three months the average buck will devour enough meat to satisfy four ordinary men.

Condiments are in great demand by the Indians, and the Sioux Indians probably consume more black and red pepper per capita than any other people in the United States. Their former favorite condiment was the gall of an elk.

The Sioux Indians are responsible for the reputation which nearly all tribes have of eating dog meat, but there are few other tribes which ever served dog meat, even at the feast of important ceremonies. The Cheyennes, Shoshones and Arapahoes, contrary to reports, never touch dog meat.

To remedy the gluttony of the Indians and prevent them eating themselves to death, the Indian Bureau is trying to make good housekeepers of the Indian girls. Ten times as much wheat flour is used by the Sioux to-day as fifteen years ago. It is said by the agents that, where cereal and wheat flour are used by the Indians, there is some hope of civilizing them and curing them of gluttony.

At the schools, among the first things in their course, the girls are taught to make bread. But these lessons have not reached the wigwam on the reservations to any marked degree. The Indian cares little for wheat bread anyway. Cereals don't interest him.

Crocodile Worship.

It was in the very ferocity and terribleness of the crocodile that the Egyptians found the inspiration for the cult they devoted to him. They were mightily afraid of the monster, and therefore instituted in his honor, the supposedly appeasing worship, as though they had said, "Be good enough not to eat us up and we will build temples to you and bow down to you as to a god." The students of early history have clearly proved that the earliest worships of every sort took the shape of offerings intended to appease the elementary forces of nature, or the real or imaginary beings of whom men were afraid.

Special Occasions.

It is only when they are nominated for office that some men care whether anybody knows which church they attend.

ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

I, C. B. ENT, High Sheriff of Columbia County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of the county aforesaid, that a general election will be held in the said county of Columbia, on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1908,

(being the Tuesday next following the first Monday of said month) for the purpose of electing the several persons hereafter named:

Thirty-four persons for Presidential Electors.

One person for Judge of the Superior Court.

One person for Representative in Congress for the Sixteenth Congressional District.

One person for Representative in the General Assembly of Pennsylvania.

One person for Prothonotary and Clerk of the Courts.

One person for Register and Recorder.

One person for District Attorney.

One person for County Treasurer.

Three persons for County Commissioners.

Three persons for County Auditors.

One person for Mine Inspector.

The qualified voters of Columbia county are hereby authorized and required to vote by ballot printed, written, or partly printed and partly written, for such of the following named persons as they see fit:

FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT.

REPUBLICAN.
For President and Vice President
TAFT AND SHERMAN
PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS
[Mark 34]

Benjamin Franklin Jones, Jr.
Morris Lewis Clothier,
John Burt,
Howard Attee Davis,
Frederick Taylor Chandler,
Ellis A Gimbel,
George Jay Elliott,
Edward Wagner Patton,
George Christian Hetzel,
Joseph deBenneville Abbott,
John Watts Baer Bausman,
Reese Albert Phillips,
Theodore Leonard Newell,
John Isett Mathias,
Adam Hain Miller,
William John McCabe,
George Wallace Williams,
David Jewett Waller, Jr.
William Strode Settle,
Robert Christman Neal,
Jacob Croyle Stineman,
Thomas Shipley,
William Frederick Reynolds,
Andrew White McCullough,
John Timothy Rogers,
Edward League Dawes,
Jerome Francis Downing,
Herman Simon,
Theophilus Lowry Wilson,
Perry Clifford Ross,
Oscar Schulze,
Oscar Holmes Babcock,
Alexander Roland Peacock,
Homer David Williams,

DEMOCRATIC.
For President and Vice President
BRYAN AND KERN
[Mark 34]

Joseph P. McCullen,
Albert J. Barr,
Daniel F. Carlin,
Edward B. Seiberlich,
Aaron G. Krause,
Clarence Loeb,
James T. Nulty,
Michael J. Howard,
John C. Ferron,
John Howard Danenhower,
Louis N. Spencer,
Alexander W. Dickson,
John T. Flannery,
Oliver Perry Bechtel,
Harry D. Schaeffer,
Charles A. McCarty,
John Franklin Stone,
John I. Welsh,
Cyrus C. Gelwicks,
George Derr Krause,
Samuel M. Hoyer,
Henry Washers,
J. Hawley Baird,
John K. Holland,
John F. Pauley,
Howard S Marshall,
Robert X. Brown,
Howard Mutchler,
William Lewis Neal,
Fred A. Shaw,
Henry Meyer,
Wesley S. Guffey,
Dennis J. Boyle,
Casper P. Mayer,

PROHIBITION.
For President and Vice President
CHAFIN AND WATKINS
PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS
[Mark 34]

Elisha Kent Kane,
John Duff Gill
John B. Heston,
Lewis L. Eavenson,
Samuel K. Felton,
Irving Woods Huckins,
Roland M. Eavenson,
Jonas K. Schultz,
Daniel G. Hendricks,
Howard Leopold,
Daniel S. Von Neida,
Wm. H. Richmond,
W. B, Bertels,
William H. Malerry,
John Peter Schneller,
Justus F. Warner,
James Mansel,
Franklin P. Johnson,
Jeremiah S. Yaukey,
Silas C. Swallow,
John L. Edwards,
Cyrus S. Griest,
A. McAlpin,
Lewis Cass Wick,
John O. Stoner,
Milton S. Marquis,
Isaac Monderau,
George F. Kline,
W. G. Freeman,
Edwin J. Fithian,
James P. Knox,
Knox C. Hill,
Robert S. Glass,
Thomas P. Herschberger.

SOCIALIST.
For President and Vice President
DEBS AND HANFORD
PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS
[Mark 34]

Edward J. Cook,
Edward J. Higgins,
George Fitch,
Robert M. Green,
R. Barclay Spicer,
George Nau,
John Zellhorn,
August Mahieu,
Martin J. Flyzik,
William C, Price,
Charles Herwegh,
George Lodge,
Charles O. Alter,
Henry Peter,
Emil Guwang,
Joseph M. Achhammer,
Percy Vize
Fred W. Whiteside,
Martin J. Brennen,
George Davies,
Jerome F. Buck,
Jesse W. Green,
Andrew Hunter,
Cornelius F. Foley,
George W. Guthrie,
Angus McRae,
Arthur J. Dennis,
Frederick G. Rother,
E. Howard Deal,
Daniel K. Young,
Julius Weber,
Thomas Thatcher,
Simon Libros,
Howard P. Hunter.

INDEPENDENCE
For President and Vice President
HISGEN AND GRAVES.
PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS
[Mark 34]

John L. Barrett,
William Boughter,
Robert G. Cathcart, Jr.
Charles B. Connolly,
Joseph M. Crouch,
John P. Correll,
William F. Craig, Jr.
Edwin B. Depuy,
Thomas Dolan,
Herman L. Duhring, Jr.
Theodore Eichhorn,
James A. Fulton,
James P. Gaffney,
Jesse Willis Galbreath,
William J. Griffith,
John L. Harding,
Samuel M. Heiligman,
George F. Hildebrand,
Edmund W. Kirby,
John W. Lafferty,
William La Fontaine,
Owen E. Lally,
George V. McDonald,
Edward J. Maher,
James Frederick Martin,
Newell, H. Motsinger,
Joseph F. O'Neal,
Stanley J. Oram,
Wheeler H. Phelps,
John A. Phillips,
Robert Miles Robinson,
Silas Edgar Trout,
Samuel F. Wheeler,
William H. White,

SOCIALIST LABOR.
For President and Vice President
GILHAUS AND MUNRO
PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS
[Mark 34]

Herman Spittal,
J. G. Gardner,
L. M. Laepple,
John Drugmand,
W. H. Thomas,
Thos. Wielding,
Amido Mori
August Clever,
George Pearse.
Grant Hughes,
George Snyder,
Otto Marowsky,
Chas. Rupp,
L. B. Barhydt,
J. A. McConnell,
Jas. A. Gray,
P. H. Grunagle,
Arthur Losey,
W. I. Marshall,
Wm. Peak,
Fred. Uhl,
Wm. Cowan,
Wm. Crum,
P. Rowan,
Wm. Staley,
Peter Auiler,
Ernest Hildebrandt,
James Clark,
Wm. Hughes,
Chas. A. New,
George Staley,
John Handlors,
Geo. Ohls,
Chas. Durner.

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.
(Mark one)

William D. Porter,	Republican
Webster Grim,	Democratic
Daniel Sturgeon,	Prohibition
Thomas H. Kennedy,	Socialist
Luther S. Kauffman,	Independence

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS.
(Mark one)

Edmund W. Samuel	Republican
John G. McHenry	Democratic
J. E. Wolf,	Prohibition

REPRESENTATIVE IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
(Mark one)

C. E. Kreischer	Republican
W. T. Creasy	Democratic
W. W. Skerry	Prohibition

PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF THE COURTS.
(Mark one)

Clarence M. Yocum,	Republican
Freeze Quick,	Democratic
Edward A Doty.	Prohibition

REGISTER AND RECORDER.
(Mark one)

John A. Fortner,	Republican
Frank W. Miller,	Democratic
Edward Buck,	Prohibition

COUNTY TREASURER.
(Mark one)

Jacob L. Wolverton,	Republican
John Mourey,	Democratic
M. P. Lutz,	Prohibition

COUNTY AUDITORS.
(Mark two)

W. W. Shannon,	Republican
Harry B, Creasy, C. L. Hirleman,	Democratic.
F. B. Hartman,	Prohibition

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
(Mark one)

Lewis C. Mensch,	Republican
Christian A. Small,	Democratic
C. A. Small,	Prohibition

COUNTY COMMISSONERS.
(Mark two)

C. Fred. Lenhart,	Republican
Elisha Ringrose,	Republican
Jerry A. Hess,	Democratic
Charles L. Pohe,	Democratic

MINE INSPECTOR.
(Mark one)

James A. O'Donnell,	Democratic

I also hereby make known and give notice that the places of holding the aforesaid election in the several wards, boroughs, districts and townships within the county of Columbia are as follows, viz

Beaver township, at the public house of John Kritsline.

Benton Borough, at the Town Hall in the Borough of Benton.

Benton township, at the grist mill of Edwards Bros.

Berwick, N. E., at the Defender Fire Company Hall on 8th street in the Borough of Berwick.

Berwick, S. E., on Front street between Pine and Chestnut streets at Rangers Hose Co. building, in the Borough of Berwick.

Berwick, N. W., at the band room of Harry Grozier, on the easterly side of the alley between Third and Jackson streets, in the Borough of Berwick.

Berwick, S. W., on Mulberry street, south of Front street at Reliance Fire Co. building, in the Borough of Berwick.

Bloom, 1st Precinct, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg.

Bloom, 2nd Precinct, at the store building northeast corner West and Fifth Sts., Bloomsburg.

Bloom, 3rd Precinct, at the Town Hall, in Bloomsburg.

Bloom, 4th Precinct, at the Rescue Hose House, East Fifth street, Bloomsburg.

Briarcreek Eastat the Jessup Street school house

Briarcreek West at the Martz school house.

Briarcreek South, at the school house in the village of Briarcreek.

Catawissa Borough. In Town Hall, Third Street, above Main.

Catawissa township, in the public house of J. W. Adams.

Centralia, 1st Ward, at the public house of Thomas Madden, in Centralia.

Centralia, 2nd Ward, at the public house of Anthony T. Conway, in Centralia.

Centre township north, at the public school house, near Lafayette Creasy's.

Centre township south, at P. O. S. of A. Hall, Lime Ridge.

Cleveland Twp., at Centre school house.

Conyngham, East North district, at the house of Mrs. John Pursell.

Conyngham, west north, at the public house of Daniel Roach, Montana.

Conyngham, S. E. district, at the public house of Thomas Mohan.

Conyngham, Southwest, at the public house of Chas. H. Horbach, in Locustdale.

Conyngham, West District, No. 1, at Midvalley school house.

Conyngham, west district, No. 2, at the public school house in said district.

E. Fishingcreek, at the house of John Wenner, at Sendertown.

W. Fishingcreek, at the Savage school house.

Franklin township, at the Lawrence school house.

Greenwood, East, at the house of Henry S. Thomas, in Rohrsburg.

Greenwood, West, at the shop of Samuel Miller, in Greenwood.

Hemlock North at the barber shop of G. W. Hartman, in the town of Buckhorn.

Hemlock, South, at the storehouse of Mrs. G. B. Hosler in the village of Fernville.

Jackson township, at the house of Elvira Hirleman, in Jackson.

Locust township south, at the public house of Yeager & Son, in Numidia.

Locust township north, at Yeager's Hotel, in the village of Roaringcreek.

Madison township, at the public house of A. M. Harvey, in Jerseytown.

Main township, at the public house of William Fenstermacher, in Mainville,

Mifflin township, at the public house of Clymer M. Creasy, in Mifflinville.

Millville Borough, at the public house of Mrs. Heller, in Millville.

Montour township, at the public house of R. B. Lutshaw, at Rupert.

Mt. Pleasant township, at the election house of Robert C. Howell.

Orangeville Boro, at the public house of Hiram Shaffer, in Orangeville.

Orange township, at the Bowman grist milk in said township.

N. Pine, at the house of William H. Lyons.

S. Pine, at the house of Elijah Shoemaker.

Roaringcreek township, at the house of Albert Leiby.

Scott, East, at Odd Fellows' Hall, in Espy.

Scott, West, at the P. O. S. of A. Building, in Lightstreet.

Stillwater, at the store house of A. B. McHenry, in said borough.

North Sugarloaf, at the public house of Jacob Steen, in Central.

South Sugarloaf, at the old school house, at Cole's Creek.

West Berwick, 1st ward at the Town Hall in said borough.

West Berwick, 2nd ward, at Hutton's Livery Stable in said borough.

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The Inspectors and Judge of the election shall meet at the respective places appointed for holding the election, in the district to which they respectively belong, before seven o'clock in the morning, and each of those Inspectors shall appoint one clerk, who shall be a qualified voter of such district.

C. B. ENT, Sheriff.

Sheriff's office, Bloomsburg, Pa.,
October 12th, 1908.

An Island of Massacres.

Hayti, the West Indian Island, has been the scene of more massacres than any other place on earth.

They began with the coming of Columbus and the rabble rout that followed him. In a few years its 3,000,000 of gentle, brown-skinned inhabitants had perished utterly, exterminated by fire and sword and by forced labor in the mines Next the buccaneer seized the unhappy island and wreaked vengeance on the Spaniards. Presently came the French, and for a brief space there was some semblance of peace. But in 1793 the negroes revolted and murdered practically all the whites. On account of these atrocities, frightful reprisals took place when France, in due course, reconquered the island. But the negroes bided their time, and presently rose again under a ruffian named Desselimes. This time they did the thing thoroughly. Not only were all the Europeans put to death, but all having any admixture of white blood in their veins, suffered a like fate. In all it is computed that 5,000,000 men, women and children have met with violent deaths on this island of massacres since the intruding white man first set foot on its palm-fringed strand. —Pearson's Weekly.

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KNEW WHEN HE WAS HAPPY.

The soul of an editor who had died of starvation was being conducted to the Elysian fields. As they passed the portals of the infernal regions, he asked his guide if he might not go in and look around. The guide consented, but warned him to stay but a few minutes, as he could not wait long.

A long time passed, and the editor had not returned; so the guiding angel went in search of him. He found him before a cage in which a number of doomed wretches were being toasted on red-hot griddles. Over the cage was the sign "Delinquent Subscribers."

"Come," said the guide; "we must be going."

"Don't wait for me," replied the editor. "I'm not coming. This is Heaven enough for me!"

—*November Lippincott's.*

A Great Novel in the November Lippincott's.

It is doubtful if the development of any of our younger writers has been watched with keener interest, or by a greater number of people, than has that of Will Levington Comfort during the past few years. Mr. Comfort is no literary miniature-painter, but gets his effects with bold strokes. Yet while some of his passages are almost brutal in their strength, their intensity, and their vividness, he can, when he deems it desirable, depict tenderness and love with wonderful delicacy and depth of feeling. Many who know him, and many more who know him only by his work, have prophesied great things for him, and they will surely be deeply interested in his latest novel, "The Viper," which is published complete in the November *Lippincott's*. He has chosen for his theme the struggle of two country youths who come to a city of the Middle West, to build up their fortunes. Bosom friends at the start, they soon separate, owing to marked differences in character and temperment. Both love the same girl, an this foundation the author has builded a dramatic and forceful narrative, which is pretty certain to rivet the attention of the most blase reader. In the course of the story interesting side-lights are thrown on the shady methods of some promoters of suburban real estate schemes, and it is to be hoped that they will serve as a warning to those contemplating such an investment without thorough investigation. Will Levington Comfort is still a young man, and as his fiction has shown constant improvement, it is likely that he will do even better work than "The Viper;" but it is safe to say that he has not done it yet.

In addition to the complete novel the November *Lippincott's* contains the usual complement of clever short stories, speciel articles, and poems, with the sixteen page humorous department, "Walnuts and Wine," to top off with.

It is a waste of effort to try to heat one's house with hot air. A little less talk and a little more time at the wood pile.

OUT OF THE GINGER JAR.

Put the lid on that peck of trouble.

Whiskey straight makes a man crooked.

As the mind is bent so is the tongue inclined.

Some people never run into debt; they jump into it.

Don't expect to find your field of labor full of shade trees.

Many a man's dog can give him lessons in fidelity and integrity.

He who abandons the farm will find too late that good fortune has abandoned him.

A girl who can manage to get three engagement rings must have a circus of her own.

Some women never put checks to there purchases. They leave that for their husbands.

Why is a pig in a parlor like a house on fire? Because the sooner it is put out the better.

Landlady: "What's the matter with that pie?" Boarder: "It isn't fit for a pig, and I'm not going to eat it."

A naughty man says that a woman has about the same feeling for logic in an argument as for cockroaches in the kitchen.

Yes, Abram, one can readily afford to get married on an income of $12 a week, if he will agree to turn it over to his wife every week.

The man who sits down to wait for fortune, too late finds that the fickle creature went around the other way with a more masterful man.

Don't give your boy a knife unless he will first promise not to swap. Swapping leads to cheating, and that is bad for the boy and worse for him when he grows up.

Teacher: "You have named all domestic animals save one. It has bristly hair, it is grimy, likes dirt and is fond of mud. Well, Tom?" Tom (shamefacedly): "That's me."

Don't be ashamed to take the wife's advice She knows a great deal more than she pretends, and has reserves of sense that would astonish you if you could see them.

—*Farm Journal.*

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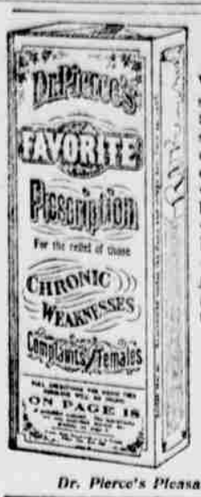

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MONKEYS FIND AN EASY MARK

Collect Prof. Haggerty's Bananas as He Tests Their Imitative Faculties.

Because it was a very hot day and news was dull the city editor sent a reporter to the New York Bronx Zoo to see how Melvin Haggerty, a Harvard Professor, is getting along in the monkey house, where he is spending the summer in the interest of Cambridge culture. He is getting a line or several lines, on the intelligence of the intelligent monk. The City Editor wanted some too.

You don't need a guide to point Haggerty as you survey the monkey cages. Haggerty had his clothes on. Strolling up to the cage the reporter asked pleasantly:

Does it seem sort of natural in there?"

Although his name does not sound as if he came from Harvard, there can be no doubt that Haggerty knows his Back Bay and that he is bearing

well in mind that a certain other illustrious alumnus is going to get $1 a word for all he says about animals. Therefore Mr. Haggerty is not going to give gratis to the public print what he is finding out from his association with the monkeys. If it does feel natural for him to be with them, he is not going to tell the reporters, and he did not tell this one. But once out of the cage, the young man of science is quite like other folk, and talks enthusiastically of the

possibilities of just what monkeys think of the rest of mankind.

He's been with the monkeys quite a while now, and already he knows more tricks than Marceline ever dreamed of. It is stated on good authority, however, that Haggerty will not be turned from his serious purpose by any tempting offers he may get from the stage. He is there to study monkey psychology to the end that Newport may not have anything on Harvard in the future. His able

assistants are two cultured ringtailed monkeys who are said to be honorary graduates of the university. At any rate they are highly educated and extremely useful as the connecting links—or missing links, if you will—between Haggerty and the other inhabitants of the cages.

Haggerty has started in with the twenty ringtails of the Zoo, and when he wrings out all the knowledge that they possess he will pass up the scale until he reaches Baldy, the chimpanzee. It is no secret in the monkey house that Baldy is "laying" for the Haggerty person, and that it will take a full-sized Harvard intellect and some muscle to cope with the big fellow. It may all end with chimpanzee literature being enriched by a treatise from Baldy on "What I Know About Man." There are a few other things coming Haggerty's way, so the keepers say, with ominous shakes of the head.

One of the young man's methods of finding out how much sense the monkeys possess is by a trick box in which he places food. The monk who discovers how to open the box is considered to be far more intelligent than the one who rudely demolishes the apparatus in order to get what is inside. But the latter monkey eats first.

Haggerty first lets one of his pet monkeys open the box in full view of the cage full of monkeys. There is great excitement when the animal who has had the benefit of a Harvard education pulls out a banana. But let it be said to the credit of higher education in the Bronx, that the Zoo monkeys have proved themselves apt pupils. While they don't display the

finesse that only the Cambridge atmosphere gives, nevertheless they generally get the banana, and that's what counts here in New York.

Another apparatus used by the Professor is a rope operating through a pulley suspended from the ceiling. A banana is attached to the upper end of the rope, while the lower end dangles just above a hole in a platform resting under the apparatus. The trick monkeys lower away on a rope until the fruit descends within reach.

Recently Harrigan, a big muscled monk, was led out of his cage, after he had seen the trick performed a number of times. Plainly showing lack of education, Harrigan grabbed the rope violently and pulled the whole business down. The Harvard monkeys chattered their disgust as Harrigan ran off with the banana.

Prof. Haggerty is taking his job very seriously, and does most of his stunts while the public is not around. So don't go up to the Zoo expecting to see a free show.

It gigantic size may be judged by

Buried Church Treasure in England.

There must be a good deal of treasure in the form of church plate and so forth concealed in different parts of the country, as quantities of it were buried at the time of the dissolution of the monasteries.

There are two legends in Worcestershire regarding some silver bells, for instance, which have been handed down most persistently from one generation to another, since the sixteenth century. One version of the story is that the bells were buried by the last Abbott of Evesham, Abbot Litchfield, in a subterranean passage which formerly existed between the abbey and a house on the opposite bank of the river, while the other story has it that a peal of silver bells was buried at the same period (the dissolution of the monasteries) at Abbots Morton, a village ten miles distant from Evesham.—Wide World Magazine.

Stock Exchange Values.

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P. M. 12:20, 1:00, 1:40, 2.20, 3:00, 3:40 4:20, 5:00, 5:40, 6:20, 7:00, 7:40, 8:20, 9:00 *(9:40) 10:20 *(11:00)

Leaving depart from Berwick one hour from time as given above, commencing at 6:00 a. m.

Leave Bloom for Catawissa A. M. 5:15, 6:15, †7:00, †8:00, 9:00, †10:00, †11:00, 12:00.

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First car leaves Market Square for Berwick on Sundays at 7:00 a. m.

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Bloomsburg P & R	9 02	2 39	6 17	....
Paper Mill	9 14	2 52	6 29	6 20
Light Street	9 18	2 56	6 34	6 25
Orangeville	9 26	3 03	6 43	6 50
Forks	9 36	3 13	6 53	7 08
Zaners	f9 40	f3 17	6 57	7 15
Stillwater	9 46	3 25	7 03	7 40
Benton	9 56	3 33	7 13	8 10
Edsons	f10 00	f3 37	7 17	8 20
Coles Creek	f10 03	f3 40	f7 21	8 16
Laubachs	f10 08	f3 45	f7 31	8 40
Grass Mere Park	f1010	f3 47	f7 33	....
Central	10 15	3 52	7 41	9
Jamison City	10 18	3 55	7 45	1

SOUTHWARD

	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	A.M.
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Jamison City	5 50	10 48	4 35	7 00	11 30
Central	5 53	10 51	4 38	7 03	11 45
Grass Mere Park	f6 01	f11 00	f4 47	f7 12	....
Laubachs	f6 03	f11 02	f4 48	f7 18	11 53
Coles Creek	f6 12	f11 06	f4 53	f7 22	12 05
Edsons	f6 14	f11 09	f4 56	f7 24	12 10
Benton	6 18	11 13	5 00	7 28	12 25
Stillwater	6 28	11 21	5 08	7 38	12 45
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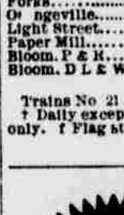

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Democratic National Ticket.

FOR PRESIDENT.
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of Nebraska.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
JOHN W. KERN,
of Indiana.

Democratic State Ticket.

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT,
WEBSTER GRIMM,
of Bucks County.

Democratic County Ticket.

FOR MEMBER OF CONGRESS,
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of Benton.

FOR MEMBER OF LEGISLATURE,
WM. T. CREASY,
of Catawissa,

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FREEZE QUICK,
of Bloomsburg.

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FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY,
CHRISTIAN A. SMALL,
of Bloomsburg.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
JOHN MOUREY,
of Roaring Creek Township.

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of Catawissa.

JERRY A. HESS,
of Bloomsburg.

FOR COUNTY AUDITORS,
CLYDE L. HIRLEMAN,
of Benton Borough,
(Second Term.)

HARRY CREASY,
of Bloomsburg.
(Second Term.)

May Lose Appropriation.

Thirty-five school districts throughout the state out of 2,570 have not received their appropriation from the state for the maintenance of scoools and they may not unless they comply with the compulsory education and other laws. In most instances the districts have not received their money because their officials have failed to send in their reports and affidavits that the proper salaries have been paid, but in others the appropriations have been held up because the compulsory education law was not enforced. Just what fate is in store for these districts cannot be predicted now, but it looks as though they would not get anything. Two of the delinquents in this respect are in Dauphin county, one in Armstrong and one in Westmoreland counties.

Congressional.

Philadelphia Record's Review of Sixteenth District.

The Philadelphia *Record* said recently: The four counties making up the Pennsylvania Sixteenth Congress district, (Columbia, Montour, Northumberland and Sullivan) have been in the habit of sending men of more than usual calibre to represent them in federal and state administration. They did not depart from their custom in 1906, when John Geiser McHenry was sent to represent the district in the Sixtieth Congress. Men are measured by their brains at Washington. It was the unusual distinction of Mr. McHenry, as a first-timer, to be appointed as a member of the important banking and currency committee of the House. No mistake was made. His business training, as farmer, manufacturer and banker, enabled him to grapple with intuitive force the difficult problems of currency legislation and to take an assured place in the formulation of helpful measures, upon some of which his party has put the stamp of national approval. Mr. McHenry was before Roosevelt in bringing in a bill for the removal of the tariff duties on lumber, logs, bark and wood pulp. His bill was indorsed by the Pennsylvania Newspaper Association last winter without division of the indorsers as to partisan inclining. He also succeeded in having incorporated in the bill for the creation of a bureau of mines and mining (reported favorably) provisions for the better protection of miners and the bringing forcibly to the attention of the country the necessity for state legislation levying a tax on coal products for the support of families of miners made dependent as a result of accident or death in the mines. Pennsylvania has seldom sent a new man to Congress who has gone so far and so fast to the front in the advocacy of schemes of constructive legislation suited to the measure of our national advancement. It will be a libel upon the intelligence of the Democrats of the Sixteenth district if they shall not keep this worthy successor of Walker, Buckalew and Wolverton as long as he shall be willing to stay in his seat in the House of Representatives. He is no longer an experiment. Men of his stamp are needed to help guide the ship of state through troubled waters.

Ohio Lost to Taft.

So Says a Washington Correspondent.

The Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia *Record* under date of October 22, says:

A general alarm to all Ohio Republicans in Washington is being sent out tonight, practically commanding them to hurry home to work and vote for Taft, in consequence of the arrival here today of a Ohio Republican politician bringing the gloomiest reports of the condition of the party that have yet reached Washington.

According to the story told to members of the Administration and to Ohioans in particular by the politician in questlon, the State at the present moment is lost to Taft and nothing can save it but the most desperate work and the most liberal use of money on the part of the Republicans. According to the bearer of bad tidings, fully one-half of the 70,000 thick-and-thin Foraker men in the State are openly declaring their intention to vote for Bryan as a rebuke to Taft and the Administration for its treatment of the friend of the railroads and Standard Oil.

Of the 80,000 colored voters in the State, the lowest estimate is that one-third are lost to the Republicans beyond redemption. Not even money, it is said, will be able to bring them back into the fold, so thoroughly incensed have they become at the Administration.

As to the labor vote, it is represented as overwhelmingly for Bryan with new defections every day. Moreover, the reliance which the confident people have been placing on the farmer vote is declared by the politician who brought the sad tidings to be misplaced, as polls that have been taken in heretofore strong Republican agricultural regions show that the drift to Bryan is almost as pronounced there as among the workingmen.

All the signs indicate a Bryan landslide and the politician who brought the news frankly told his friends that in his belief nothing the Republican party can do will be able to stop it.

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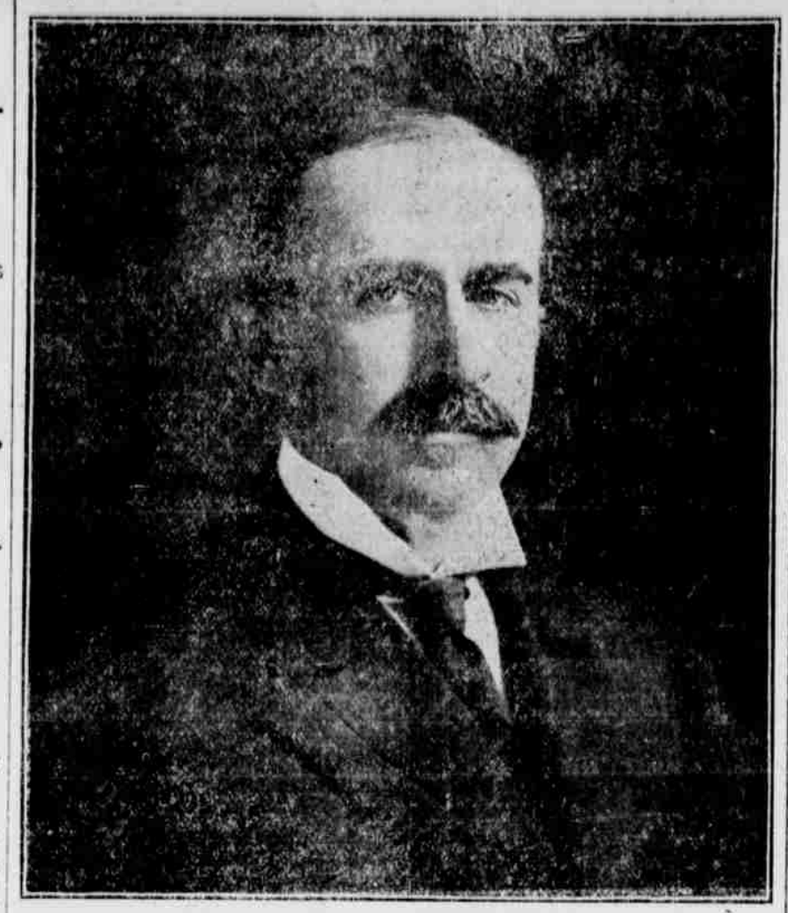

JOHN G. McHENRY,
Candidate for Second Congressional Term.

MCHENRY AS A SPEAKER.

From Shamokin Dispatch, October 20, 1908.

The voters of this Congressional District have long been saying that what was needed at Washington was a representative who could stand up in congress and talk, one who would be able, in the proper way, to present the needs of this district and who would, furthermore, be able to take part in the debates of the House. The voters have read with much interest newspaper accounts of the speeches made by Hon. John G. McHenry both in Congress and at important gatherings of bankers, grangers, etc., and all have declared that in every published address Mr. McHenry had touched on his subject in a most interesting and straight-forward manner, not mincing words nor speaking in uncertain tones but rather declaring most plainly where he stood and still stands on the live issues of the day. While not always agreeing with the principles advocated by Mr. McHenry, the majority of the voters have recognized the fact that he is an able man, one fit to represent this district in congress in the manner that so important a district deserves.

But with all this knowledge of the man through the columns of the press the voters have been anxious to hear him themselves and to learn of his ability. His enemies have declared that he could not talk in public and that he had never made a speech despite the fact that the records show most plainly that he did speak both in committee meetings and on the floor of the House, in many instances his remarks being commented upon editorially by the press of both parties throughout the entire country.

The opportunity to hear Congressman McHenry was presented to the people of Shamokin and vicinity on Saturday afternoon and was accepted by many of both parties. That he made a most favorable impression is evidenced by the statements of all who heard him.

Despite the handicap of a very heavy cold and a throat made tired by constant campaigning for the past six weeks Mr. McHenry delivered an address of considerable length. He proved, first of all, that he is an able speaker, many who heard him declared him to be one of the ablest speakers that has ever visited Shamokin. Not an orator in the sense that he takes flights in beautiful oratorical expressions which please the ear but mean nothing, but rather one who in a clear, forceful manner presents his opinions and principles in a manner that shows he knows whereof he is speaking. He is a speaker of the advanced type, talking as man to man.

In the second place Mr. McHenry demonstrated that he is thoroughly conversant with the issues of the day, that he is a student of the needs not only of this district but of the nation. He showed that he can stand up in Congress and debate with the best of the speakers of that body. He demonstrated to the satisfaction of all who heard him that at last the Sixteenth Congressional District has a representative who can represent them in deed as well as word, who can fulfill all the duties of his office. The Hon. John G. McHenry showed beyond the possibility of a doubt that he is fit in every possible way, as a speaker and thinker, as a friend of the people of the district, as one who holds the interests of his constituents above mere party loyalty, that he is capable to fill the office of Representative in Congress from the Sixteenth Congressional District and he is going to receive the support of voters regardless of political affiliations. The district is proud of John G. McHenry and wants him to continue the good work he has already started.

Debate Postponed.

The debate which was to have taken place on October 17th, between the Main and Beaver township high schools was not held, owing to the fact that the Main pupils prepared the wrong subject for debate. A date will be agreed upon soon.

Foreigners Coming Back.

Those Who Went Home Last Fall Anxious to Get Back to America.

The many foreigners who went home at the beginning of the financial stringency and since, are for the most part anxious to come back and many letters are received by foreigners in this section from the kinsmen abroad asking whether conditions are improving, says the Hazleton *Plain Speaker*. The priests in the churches are announcing to the people over there, it appears from letters received, that they had better stay in Europe until spring at least. Reports are bereceived in Austria and Hungary, where most of the foreigners come from, that their people are in actual want here and they can get no work. As a result of the migrations since November the colonies of foreigners have been greatly increased in numbers. A feature of the migration of foreigners has been the large number of girls who have gone back to their native land. There has been any amount of work here for them. The truth is that the girls have followed the men back to Austria. Most of them have come to this country following the men, the chances of their becoming married here being greater than in Europe. When the men go back and the chances fade, then they go back too.

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Why try this thing, that thing, for your constipation? Why not stick to the good old reliable family laxative—Ayer's Pills? Ask your doctor if he approves this advice.

Wife Slayer Dies in the Penitentiary.

Having escaped the gallows, Jacob Gearhart, the brutal Shamokin wife murderer, died in the Eastern Penitentiary, at Philadelphia, of Bright's disease. Gearhart shot his wife at Shamokin, during a drunken jealous rage one Sunday afternoon about eight years ago. His deed was wilful and premeditated, it being shown during the trial that he not only planned the crime but had provided and set aside in a marked envelope a sufficient sum of money for her burial in the family plot at the cemetery. He sought to escape on the grounds of insanity, but was tried and convicted of murder in the first degree during the same term of criminal court that John Gulick was found guilty of murdering his mother and brother in cold blood. His attorneys being unsuccessful in securing a new trial, Judge Savidge pronounced the sentence of death, which was afterwards commuted to life imprisonment by the State pardon board.

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W. W. BARRATT SR.

After an illness of two weeks, William W. Barrett Sr. died at his home on West Third street on Sunday morning, aged 75 years

He was born in England, and came to this country in 1833, and after living in other places for a time, came to Bloomsburg about thirty years ago, and has always been a respected citizen. He has filled the position of ticket taker at the fair for many years, as tipstaff, and as turnkey at the jail, and other positions.

He was a thirty second degree Mason, and an Odd Fellow.

The survivors of his family are the following: William W. Barratt, Jr. Miss Mary Barratt and Mrs. John J. Malaney, of town; the following brothers Richard Barratt, of town; Thomas Barratt, of Clearfield; Ambrose Barratt, of Tavistock, England, and a half-brother and a half-sister, Isaac Barratt, of Donley's Mills, and Mrs. Emmett Mather, of Clearfield. He was married in 1864 to Miss Margaret Crotty, who died April 12, 1905.

The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. J. W. Diggles officiating. The Masons attended in a body, and conducted masonic services at the grave.

JOHN VANSICKLE DEAD.

At the unusual age of ninety four years John VanSickle died at his home in Jamison City last Saturday.

He lost his eyesight in 1848 by the explosion of a canuon during a demonstration in a political campaign in Bloomsburg, so that for sixty years he has been totally blind.

He is survived by two sons, A. N. and J. H. VanSickle of Jamison City, and one daughter, Harriet, of Philadelphia.

The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. G. W. Smith and Rev. Mr. Dunville officiating, in the M. E. Church at Jamison City. The remains were buried in the cemetery at Coles Creek.

Dr. Rawlings Here.

Dr. Eva. Rawlings is visiting her mother Mrs. E. Rawlings and her sister, Miss Verne Rawlings on Iron street. Dr Rawlings is an allopathic physician, and has been located in New York City for a number of years. She is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Rawlings.

After her visit here she will go to Ann Arbor, Michigan, where she has accepted a position as bacteriologist in the North-western University.

Harry Broadt is contemplating the establishment of a shoe factory here.

There are seventy cases of scarlet fever at Freeland, and the schools are closed.

Geo. E. Hassert is a successful pigeon breeder. He took twenty six first premiums, and eight seconds out of thirty-seven pairs, at the fair this year.

Mrs. Phoebe Ohl celebrated her ninetieth birthday on October 20th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Ohl on West street. Her faculties are unimpaired.

The Democratic meeting in the court house last Thursday night was a good one, every seat being occupied. Excellent speeches were made by Thos. N. Burke Esq., of Mt. Carmel, and John I. Welsh of Shamokin.

John Harris of Buck Horn is quite ill with rheumatism, and has temporarily given up his duties as teacher of the Center High school. No qualified substitute has yet been found to take his place and the school is closed.

Miss Mabel Welsh has been appointed teacher of the Main township high school, in place of Miss Helen Mauser, recently married. Miss Welsh is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Welsh of Orange township, and is a graduate of the Normal School in the class of 1907.

"The Time, the Place, and the Girl" was witnessed by a large audience at the Columbia Theater on Monday night. The play was fully up to expectations, and everybody was pleased. Manager Henshall is giving this town some fine attractions.

Mr. Raymond Buck of Millville, who has been teaching the Klingerman school in Mifflin township, in place of Mr. Arthur Whitenight, returned to his home Tuesday. Mr. Whitenight has recovered from an attack of typhoid, sufficiently to take charge of his school.

BUSINESS PHILOSOPHY.

Play is work that you don't have to do.

Never hire a travelling man whose waistcoat is more insistent than his personality.

Don't rise so high in your calling that you see only one side of your fellows.

It's true that a marble statue has no faults,—but then it has no friends, either.

There are plenty of doors labelled "Pull," but the majority, after all, bear the legend "Push."

There are self-made men in this world who ought to be suffering from remorse.

—WARWICK JAMES PRICE in *November Lippincott's.*

C. E. CONVENTION

Bicounty Union Meetting at Benton Was Good One.

What was one of the most successful conventions in the history of the Bi-County Christian Endeavor Union, consisting of Montour and Columbia counties, was brought to a close at Benton on Friday night.

Officers elected were as follows: President, Rev. E. B. Bailey, Bloomsburg; vice president for Columbia county, Rev. J. O. Biggs, of Espy; vice president for Montour county, Rev. James Wallaston Kirk, D. D., Danville; secretary, Miss Ida Herring, Bloomsburg; treasurer, Miss Martha Powell, Bloomsburg.

Department Superintendents—Evangelistic, R. E. Bomboy, Berwick; Missionary, Rev. H. E. Harman, Berwick; Jr., Mrs. Tillie Reighard, Light Street; Good Citizenship, Prof. A. U. Lesher, Berwick; Correspondent, Mrs. J. Winley, Benton.

The secretary's report shows the following facts: Number of societies, 32; number of members, 1,203; number united with the church during the year, 41.

There are four essentials in Christian Endeavor work: 1, Faith, 2, Facts, 3. Funds, 4. Fire.

The treasurer's report shows a balance on hand but discloses the fact that some of the societies do not contribute.

District president's reports revealed that some districts have been successful in holding rallies.

For the greatest proportionate gain in new Jr. Christian Endeavor Societies, Columbia county was awarded the beautiful Jr. C. E. banner by the State Union. This banner was presented to the Jr. superintendent by Rev. F. Swengel, D. D., trustee of the United Society of C. E.

Rev. Dr. G. H. Hemingway, of Bloomsburg; Rev. Weaver, of Milton; Rev. Crist, of Benton; Rev. Dr. James Kirk, of Danville; A. J. Shartle, of Reading; Rev. Biggs, of Espy, and Leroy White of Bloomsburg were among those who took an active part in the convention.

Delegates in attendance were: Rev. E. B. Bailey, Helen Moyer, Martha Powell, Mary E Rhodes, Mrs. Clara Raver, Mary Stangley, Bloomsburg; Mrs. Tillie Reighard, Light Street; Clara White, S. P. Johnson, Dora Gibbs, Mrs. O. G. Hess, H. B. Clewell, Alice J. Gable, Rev. Harman, Berwick; Eunice Spear, Mae Yetter, Cabin Run; Daisy Kelchner, Mrs. Elizabeth Bowman, Orangeville; Katherine Vought, Catawissa; Stella F. Smith, Isabel Blue, Danville; Matilda Vought, Elysburg; Rev. Weaver, Milton; Rev. Swengle, Lewistown; Martha Traxler, Forks, R. F. D.; Lillian Mausteller, Anna Ohl, Buckhorn; E. S. Delsite, Jennie Fry, Mausdale; Chas. Styer, New Columbia; Rev. Biggs, Fannie B. Kline, Mrs. Dr. Wolf, Espy; A. J. Shartle, Reading.

A Big Verdict.

The jury in the case of Myrtle Dugan, child, and Howard Dugan, parent, vs. the Pennsylvania Railroad company, on trial in the Montour county court last week, returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiffs, awarding Miss Dugan damages to the amount of $3900 and her father, Howard Dugan, damages in the sum of $760.

The jury which retired about five o'clock Friday evening reached an agreement at 11 o'clock that night. Pursuant to instructions the jury sealed its verdict and returned the same to court at the ringing of the bell at nine o'clock Saturday morning.

As soon as the verdict was taken Hon. H. M. Hinckley, counsel for the defense, moved for a new trial and in arrest of judgment, reasons to be filed in ten days.

Reunion 12th Regiment.

The reunion of the members of the Twelfth Regiment, Pennsylvania, Spanish--American War Veterans, is being held in Danville today. The Repasz Band of Williamsport is present, and addresses will be made by Gen. Gobin and Col. Coryell. The program includes a business session in the afternoon, a supper in the Armory, a camp-fire, a banquet and a street parade. Over two hundred members of the Veterans' Association are present.

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Peruna is making such friends every day. It is the testimony of the people that has made Peruna so justly famous

Chronic Bronchitis.

Mrs. Clara L. Miller, Box 71, Columbia Sta., Seattle, Wash., formerly vice president of Skoogay Country Club, writes:

"Nine bottles of Peruna cured me of a protracted case of bronchitis. There is no superior remedy that I know of, as the action of Peruna on the vasa motor system of nerves is very beneficial. It increases the tone of the system and aids nature to perform her functions.

"I have recommended it to a number of my friends, who speak in the same high terms of it. I have certainly found it a most efficacious medicine."

Nervous, Tired and Weak.

Mrs. Christina Smukalla, 490 Winslow Ave., Buffalo, N. Y., writes: "I trust every one suffering from systemic catarrh will read this and profit by it.

"I was in a very bad condition indeed, when I began to take Peruna, and my friends as well as myself were very much alarmed over my condition. I was always nervous, could not sleep at night, my food did me no good, and I was always tired and weak. I tried several doctors, but found no relief.

"Finally I took two bottles of Peruna and felt like a different woman. However, I did not stop there, but kept on with it until I had taken several bottles, when I felt completely cured, and have remained so ever since. I can eat and sleep now."

A Good Word for Pe-ru-na.

Mrs. S. L. Jewell, R. F. D. 1, Freeport, Pa., writes:

"Having used Peruna myself for many years with beneficial effects, and observing the good it has done others of my acquaintance, I cannot but say a good word in behalf of Peruna."

Keeps Pe-ru-na in the House.

Mrs. Maria Goertz, Orienta, Oklahoma, writes: "My husband, children and myself have used your medicines, and we always keep them in the house in case of necessity. I was restored to health by this medicine, and Dr. Hartman's invaluable advice and books. People ask about me from different places, and are surprised that I can do all of my housework alone, and that I was cured by the doctor of chronic catarrh. My husband was cured of asthma, my daughter of earache and catarrh of the stomach, and my son of catarrh of the throat. When I was sick I weighed 100 pounds; now I weigh 140.

"Dr. Hartman's remedies have proven to be reliable and wonderful. Their effect upon the system is remarkable. Peruna quiets the nerves, and is a great specific for all forms of chronic catarrh.

"I am very glad to say that I can write you that I am cured in every way of catarrh, with which I had suffered terribly for ten years. I cannot thank you enough for your advice."

Constipation, Kidney Trouble.

Mrs. Mahala Reid, Corbyville, Ont., Canada, writes:

"Your celebrated remedies have been a wonderful boon to me in my old age. I have not been in so good health for several years as now.

"I was troubled with constipation, rheumatism and kidney trouble. A little over two years ago I completely lost my health, becoming almost helpless, when a dear friend sent me your remedies, Peruna and Manalin.

"I began to take them, following the directions on the bottles. I very soon began to feel benefited by their use, and continued to take them.

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For two years Dr. Hartman and his assistants have incessantly labored to create Peruna in tablet form, and their strenuous labors have just been crowned with success. People who object to liquid medicines can now secure Peruna tablets, which represent the medicinal ingredients of Peruna. Each tablet is equivalent to one average dose of Peruna.

THE HARD TIMES.

Like a bolt from the blue, must have seemed to our comfortable classes the report of last week that thousands of children in the Chicago public schools are suffering from hunger. No doubt the newpapers that support Mr. Taft, who talks about prosperity as if everybody had since his intimates have, would gladly have minimized this disclosure; but it was too well authenticated and too awful. So all of them "played it up strong," as the newspaper slang goes. Every Republican newspaper in Chicago published the facts in prominent position and under "screaming" headlines. Yet nothing could be more significant of the continuance of the times which began 18 months ago, and came upon us with a crash about a year ago. The fact that these papers published this report so prominently indicates that they could not escape it, for the Republican newspapers of Chicago are not alert to publish disagreeable information just because it happens to be important to their readers. The conditions exist, they are demonstrated, and they are dreadful. And no doubt these conditions among school children in Chicago exist everywhere. No doubt they exist among others also than school children. Beyond futher question, we are in the midst of hard times.

This condition is likely to tell heavily against Mr. Taft's candidacy at the coming election. And so it ought. His party has demagogically claimed credit for the periods of good times, charged to its adversary responsibility for the periods of bad times which this country has experienced in the past forty years. Not only has his party persistently and deceitfully done this, but he himself only a few days ago in Kansas quoted cooked statistics to prove that Republicans make good times and Democrats hard times. It would be only political justice, therefore, were Mr. Taft to go down in a popular avalanche of condemnation because he and his party have been caught with a virulent case of hard times on their hands. The political party that has been living by a lie should die by one.

—*Chicago Public.*

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FINAL RALLY.

The court room was packed with an audience on Thursday night, that remained until nearly half past eleven o'clock listening to the excellent speeches. Hon. John G. Harman presided, and the speakers were Hon. James W. Doughty, of New York, Hon. John G. McHenry, and Hon. R. W. Eason, of Norfolk, Virginia. They were all among the best political speeches that have been heard here in a long time.

APPEAL TO DEMOCRATS.

I want to ask every Democratic voter in Columbia county to stick to the ticket on November 3rd. I am positive there is an effort on foot with at least two of the candidates on the opposite side to get Democrats to split their ticket. Our ticket is a first class one from top to bottom Stick to it men, do not let them fool you.

J. H. MERCER,
CHAIRMAN.

Donation Day.

Monday, November 2nd is Donation Day at the Joseph Ratti Hospital. This great public benefaction is worthy of liberal gifts from everybody in the town and vicinity.

Monument Meeting.

Ent Post G. A. R. requests that all soldiers, sailors, Sons of Veterans, Ladies' Circle, and citizens of the county generally shall meet at the Post rooms on Friday, October 30th at 7:45 p. m. to discuss and prepare plans for the dedication of the Soldiers' and Sailors Monument. Should the Post room prove too small to accommodate all who wish to attend, the county commissioners have kindly tendered the use of the court house. It is hoped that a large number will show their interest in this matter by their presence.

New A. M. E. Pastor.

Rev. H. E. O'Brant has been appointed pastor of the African Methodist Episcopal Church of this town in place of Rev. M. S. Jones, who has been transferred to the charge at Bradford and Everett. The new pastor comes from the Wheeling district, and has arrived and entered upon his duties.

The action was taken at a recent meeting of the Pittsburg A. M. E. Conference, in session at Wheeling, West Virginia.

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Dear Sir and Brother:

Replying to your favor dated October 21st, in which you ask for information in regard to the candidacy of the Hon. John G. McHenry, it gives me pleasure to say that Mr. McHenry is now and has been a staunch friend of the wage earners. During the last session of Congress he was untiring in his advocacy of those measures calculated to promote the best interests of the working men.

Mr. McHenry deserves the support of our fellow workers, without regard to their political affiliations.

I am, with best wishes,

Yours truly,

John Mitchell

FOUND GUILTY OF $469,000 THEFT

Montgomery, Bank Wrecker of Pittsburg, Makes No Move at Defence in Trial.

JURY CONVICTS OLD CASHIER

William Montgomery to be Punished For Robbing Allegheny National of $469,000.—He Declined to Call Any Witnesses in His Defence.

Pittsburg, Oct. 28.—William Montgomery, former cashier of the defunct Allegheny National Bank, was found guilty in the United States District Court of embezzling $469,000 of the funds of the bank.

Montgomery became pale for a moment when the verdict was given, then sat back in his chair while twelve more men filed into the jury box to hear the evidence on the second indictment against him charging the misapplication of $144,000 of bonds.

Montgomery declined to call any witnesses in his defence. His attorney had announced that he would take the stand in own behalf at least, and would expose many things, so that his decision to offer no defence caused much surprise.

The maximum penalty for Montgomery's offence is ten years in the penitentiary and the minimum five years. There are several other charges pending aside from the one on which he is now being tried. It is understood that he will not call any witnesses in any of the cases but "will take the medicine," as he at first said he would.

Nothing is talked of in Pittsburg but the unexpected decision of Montgomery not to make a defence. By so doing he blocked a line of questioning which the Government had prepared and which might have led to a most embarrassing situation not only for Montgomery but for others. The court room was thronged with those who had come to hear the sensational testimony.

A pathetic incident of the trial was the testimony of President Wm. Stewart of the bank, who is 75 years old and who spent his fortune of $800,000 trying to make good Montgomery's thefts.

FRANCE TOO ILL TO WED, TOOK POISON.

Asked to Be Buried in Her Bridal Dress, with Engagement Ring.

Millstadt, Ill., Oct. 28.—When Blanche Sander, twenty-two years old, was told by her fiance that he could not marry her because of ill health, she arrayed herself in a white dress and swallowed carbolic acid and died thirty minutes later. She had just returned from St. Louis. Her fiance, George Ernst, is in the grocery business. He was ill.

Miss Sander left a note reading:

"Dear Father, Sister and Brothers: Forgive me for what I am about to do, but I am tired of life. Everything seems to be going against me. In case I die before 12 o'clock call on Jake (a brother of George Ernst) and tell him to send word to my darling George. God only knows how I hate to leave him, but it is all for the best. When I am gone you can take any of my things that you want and use them. I want you to leave my engagement ring on my finger and bury me in my wedding dress."

CANNOT FINE MEN FOR NOT STRIKING.

Massachusetts Court Makes Permanent Injunction Against Union.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 28.—The Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts, in making permanent an injunction against several labor unions ruled, in a decision attending the decree that labor unions cannot impose fines on their members in order to force them to go out on a strike. The decision was rendered on a petition brought by L. D. Willcut & Sons Co., of this city, asking for an injunction against the Bricklayers and Stone Masons' Benevolent Union, restraining them from imposing a fine of $100 each on two members of the unions who had refused to go out on a strike.

CONSUL IS A SUICIDE

Thomas Clark MacFarland Shoots Himself on a Train Going to Berlin.

Berlin, Oct. 27.—News has been received here that Silas Clark MacFarland, American Consul-General at Large and Inspector of Consulates in the western section of Europe, was found dead in a railway carriage near Hagenow, between Hamburg and Berlin.

The circumstances indicate suicide. Mr. MacFarland shot himself and died almost immediately. He was in ill health.

Major Robinson Commits Suicide.

Mobile, Ala., Oct. 27.—Major Edward Murphy Robinson, prominent in the local bar and in politics, committed suicide by blowing out his brains at his home. Major Robinson was born at Sticklon, Ala., in 1842.

JUDGE TAYLOR ESCAPES BULLETS OF LYNCHERS.

Victim of Tennessee Night Riders Wanders in the Forest For Two Days—Saves His Life.

Tiptonville, Tenn., Oct. 28.—Judge R. Zachary Taylor reached here after a remarkable escape from night riders at Reel Foot Lake, who murdered his partner, Captain Quentin Rankin. His escape is due to a daring dash for liberty while the night riders were disputing among themselves the best way to kill him. At a moment when the guards attention was diverted, Taylor broke for freedom. Dashing a few yards to the bank of a shallow inlet of Reel Foot Lake he plunged in.

A fusilade of bullets followed the fugitive, whose figure was dimly discernible. Wading and swimming, the lawyer rushed forward. Bullets and smal shot fell on every side, but none struck him. Near the bank opposite the night riders, Taylor threw up his hands and pitched forward heavily over a log and lay inert. Hundreds of shots were fired into the log, but not one injured Taylor. Satisfied that their victim had met death and fearing that the repeated sound of shots would arouse to many persons in the neighborhood, the night riders left the scene after about 800 shots had been fired. Judge Taylor, however, lay for hours in the mud and water, fearing that some one had been left to watch. At dawn, seeing that his ruse had been successful, he plunged into the underbrush to fight his way to a friendly community. For hours he traveled in this manner, the sun his only guide. When night came, still afraid to approach a house, he made his couch on a bed of leaves and slept until early morning.

About 8 o'clock next morning Judge Taylor, deciding that it would then be safe for him to make inquiry at a farm house, followed a path which led into a rough road. Within a few minutes he came upon the home of Luther Rankin, overseer of the Harris interests, and the fugitive obtained breakfast. Rankin then rode to the nearest telephone and sent a message into Tiptonville with the news that Taylor was safe. Soon after Taylor and Mr. Rankin arived here, being met a few miles from town by a posse.

After being informed at Union City of the safety of Judge Taylor, Governor Patterson telephoned that he would start for Tiptonville immediately.

SHOOT RABBITS FROM AUTOS.

Night Hunting by Searchlight the New Game of Sportsmen.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 27.—Hunting rabbits by automobiles at night is the latest diversion of sportsmen in this section. Seated upon the front seat of their automobiles, gun in hand and with a range of several hundred yards of road ahead illuminated by searchlight, they are picking off many a rabbit. Automobile concerns have started letting out their automobiles for night hunting expeditions.

20,000 SHEEP BURIED IN NEW MEXICO.

All of Them and Six Herders Thought to Have Perished.

Santa Fe, N. M., Oct. 27.—Twenty-five thousand sheep grazing on the Cumbers Mountain Range in Rio Arriba County, 140 miles north of here, are reported to have perished in the blizzard which has raged in that section.

The storm is the worst in years, and snow is from five to ten feet deep. Besides the great loss of sheep, six herders are missing, and it is believed they were also frozen to death.

BABY FOR SZECHENYIS

Born to New York Countess at Her Home at Ormero, Hungary.

Budapest, Oct. 29.—Newspapers here announce that the Countess Szechenyi, formerly Miss Gladys Vanderbilt of New York, became the mother of a girl at her husband's residence at Ormero, Hungary.

The marriage of Miss Gladys Vanderbilt, daughter of the late Cornelius Vanderbilt, to Count Laszlo Szechenyi took place this year. They went to Hungary shortly afterward to take up their permanent residence there.

Finds $1,000 Pearl in an Oyster.

Pittsburg, Oct. 28.—Elmer Lusky, a contracting blacksmith of this city, found a large pearl in an oyster, and Lusky has already refused a $1,000 offer of a Market street jeweller for the gem, which is more than half an inch in diameter. Lusky came near swallowing his treasure; also he came near throwing it out into the ash pile.

Wright's Broken Thigh Knit Well.

Washington, Oct. 27.—The splint was removed from Orville Wright's broken thigh. The injured leg, the left, is but a quarter of an inch shorter than the other. An X-ray examination showed that the knitting of the broken bones has been perfect.

REJECTED SUITOR KILLS BRIDEGROOM

"This is Too Much," He Exclaimed as Bride Turned to Caress Husband.

TRIED TO SHOOT THE WIDOW.

A White Haired Man Thrust His Thumb Between the Hammer and Cartridge and Woman Was Saved —All Occurred on Train.

Plaquemine, La., Oct. 28.—F. A. Van Ingen was shot by his bride's former suitor, F. S. Beauvre, while on a railroad train just starting the bridal tour, and died in his wife's arms on a Texas and Pacific train near here. Beauvre is under arrest.

Van Ingen, who was thirty years old and a teacher at Alexandria, married Miss Mamie Rorhes, of Alexandria. Beauvre was in town, but did not attend the wedding. He went to a store to buy ammunition for a revolver at the time of the ceremony. When the train pulled out for New Orleans with the bridal pair Beauvre boarded it, and later in the evening he took a seat across the aisle from Mr. and Mrs. Van Ingen. Beauvre is alleged to have leaned across the aisle and said: "Congratulations to you both."

The bride thanked him and added, "We are very happy," at the same time turning to her husband to caress him.

"This is too much," Beauvre is alleged to have exclaimed, and, drawing a revolver from his pocket, he fired at Van Ingen, the first shot killing the bridegroom almost instantly. As the husband sank into his wife's arms, Beauvre, with arm outstretched toward the bride, started to pull the trigger again, but a white haired man thrust his thumb between the hammer and cartridge so that the cartridge did not explode. Other passengers then caught Beauvre and disarmed him.

Van Ingen was a relative of Ex-Gov. Blanchard.

WOMAN ROBBED BY MASKED MEN.

Devote an Hour and a Half To a Job in Morristown, N. J.

Morristown, N. J., Oct. 26.—While three elderly women, the Misses Grace W., Maud M. and Mary E. Perkins, who live at 276 South St., and their sister, Mrs. R. M. Miller of New Brighton, Staten Island, who is visiting them, were asleep, three masked men entered their bedrooms. Two of the burglars kept the women covered with revolvers and the third packed up $2,000 worth of jewelry and $80 in money. They were very deliberate and remained in the house an hour and a half.

TONS OF FISH FELL ON THE SHIP'S DECK.

Sailors With Shovels Clean House After Big Wave Passes.

Boston, Oct. 29.—While in the vicinity of Diamond Shoal lightship the steamer Ligonea, which arrived, was boarded by a living wave. This great sea was alive with fish of all kinds which it had scooped up and carried along, and it deluged the forward deck of the vessel with a squirming mass. When the sea passed over the side it left behind it thousands of fish and the officers and the crew saw a marvelous sight.

The crew attacked the mass of fish with shovels, putting aside food fish such as cod, hake and pollock. A porpoise seven feet long was rolled to the side and overboard through a port which was opened.

DEMON RUM TRIUMPHS

City of Macon Not Permitted to Practise What State Legalized.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 28.—The State Court of Appeals held that municipal ordinances that conflict with the State law which licenses "locker" clubs are illegal. The decision was handed down in the case of a Macon Social club, an ordinance of that city prohibiting locker clubs.

The State prohibition law which went into effect last January contains a clause placing a license tax of $500 on locker clubs. Later the city of Macon passed an ordinance making it unlawful for any club to keep intoxicating liquors on its premises.

The Court held in substance that municipalities cannot make illegal what the State has legalized.

Only Two Jackies Left Behind.

Tokio, Oct. 29.—The scout cruiser Yankton sailed to join the American battleship fleet after picking up the stragglers among the men. Only two sailors were missing when the Yankton departed.

Mail's Libel Costs $115,000

London, Oct. 29.—The Associated Newspapers (Limited), publishers of the London Daily Mail, have been condemned to pay the Edward Cook Co., soap Manufactures, $115,000 damages for libel.

WORLD NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Covering Minor Happenings From All Over the Globe.

DOMESTIC.

Seven hundred and sixty-eight babies paraded for seven prizes in Jersey City.

President Roosevelt received many congratulations on his fiftieth birthday.

Tid Burton, an alleged night rider, made a confession implicating forty Reelfooters in the Rankin murded in Tennessee.

It was brought out at the Government hearing that the Oil Trust got a secret rate from the Pennsylvania Railroad of about one-third of what independent dealers paid.

James S. Sherman, Vice-Presidential candidate, made a statement admitting connection with the New Mexico land deal, but declaring the proceedings were legitimate and purely private business.

John D. Archbold gave out a reply to W. R. Hearst explaining his letters to ex-Gov. Stone and Gen. Elkin.

Dr. Cyrus Townsend Brady of Toledo, Ohio, announced his resignation as rector of Trinity Parish. He goes to Kansas City to the St. George Episcopal Church.

The resignation of Dr. Parkhurst as President of the Society for the Prevention of Crime was announced. It was said that he would sever all connection with the society.

It was brought out at the Morse trial that Controller Ridgely had warned President Curtis of the National Bank of North America that the bank was making excessive loans on Morse's security.

The annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union opened in Denver.

Secretary Root refused to grant a warrant for the extradition of Jan Pouren, the alleged revolutionist wanted by the Russian government.

In the public square at Hazard, Ky., Stephen Atkins, thirty years old, and a vagrant was sold at public auction for 13 cents.

The reports of the 6,853 national banks, filed in Washington, D. C., showed greatly improved business conditions.

The fortieth annual convention of the National American Woman Sufferage Association ended at Buffalo.

President Roosevelt received the crededentials of the new Minister from Honduras, Senor Don Luis Lazo-Arriago. The presentation took place in the presence of Secretary of State Root and Assistant Secretary of State Bacon.

FOREIGN.

Bulgaria informed the Powers of her acceptance of the principle of paying compensation to Turkey.

German officials are hopeful of an early and amicable settlement of the entire Balkans conflict.

A special Constantinople despatch states that the reception at the Yidiz Kiosk passed quietly, and that the city is calm, notwithstanding fears of a grave outbreak.

Persians resident in Constantinople made a demonstration against the occupation of Persian territory by Russia.

A Belgrade despatch says that the Servian Government has called out all the first reserves and has ordered khaki for the troops, 300 Maxim guns and 400 military automobiles.

The bubonic plague has broken out with redoubled violence in Terceira, one of the Azores Islands.

It was reported from Vienna that the Porte had broken off negotiations with Austria, Turkey insisting that the question of annexation of Herzegovina must be submitted to a congress of powers.

Count Zeppelin's reconstructed airship, carrying ten passengers, made a successful flight at Friedrichshafen, showing greater speed and facility of movement than the count' former machine possessed.

British fire insurance companies have offered to pay 80 per cent of the claims for losses in the Kingston fire; the policyholders' committee asks 90 per cent.

Lord Milner said at Toronto that he expected Great Britain soon to grant preference to the colonies and that he regarded the confederation of South African states as assured.

POLITICAL.

The United States Civil Service Commission at Washington announced that investigation had proven the falsity of a Democratic story of campaign contributions being forced by G. W. Sheldon.

Denial was made by former Governor Stone and judges of the Pennsylvania courts of the statement that they had been influenced in favor of the Standard Oil Company by gifts of money or other considerations.

In fifteen speeches in New Jersey, W. J. Bryan attacked President Rooevelt for again entering the Presidential campaign.

All the members of the Cabinet decided to take the stump for Mr. Taft.

Governor Hughes has addressed meetings in Cayuga and Wayne counties.

KILL EACH OTHER IN CIRCUS DUEL.

Cowboy and Police Captain Fight to the Death in a Wild West Show.

TRAGEDY AT GULFPORT, MISS.

The Shots Sounded Like One and the Men Fell Dead Side by Side in the Ring—Outfit Ordered to Quit Town Without Delay.

Mobile, Ala., Oct. 28.—Police Captain Lee Varnado and Lon Seely, a circus cowboy with Miller Brothers' "101 Ranch" Wild West show, fought a duel with pistols in the circus ring at Gulfport, Miss., and shot each other to death. Only that deputies and constabulary rushed from other cities prevented a mob of Gulfport citizens from slaying the rest of the show people with guns and knives when they sought to leave the city.

The "101 Ranch" outfit, which is touring the South after showing for the Summer at New York resorts and other Northern points, rumbled into Gulfport with forty cowboys, girls, wild horses and a big outfit. They pitched their tent and gave two performances.

All Gulfport turned out to the circus, and most of Gulfport stayed around after the night show to see the outfit pull down its tents and start for New Orleans.

But during the process of getting away a quarrel arose among the cowboys and tentmen who were pulling up the stakes.

A free fight of the show people was imminent, when Policeman Varnado rushed into the ring and caught a club with which Cowboy Seely was about to fell a tentman.

"I'll kill you for that," yelled Seely. "Pull your gun and we'll fight it out now."

Varnado drew his revolver and both men stepped back so that each stood upon an edge of the circus ring. Both fired simultaneously and both bullets found their marks. The cowboy's shot went through Varnado's mouth into his brain, and he dropped dead.

At the same instant the lead from the policeman's gun passed through the cowboy's eye and Seely fell upon his face. He was dead when the showmen and spectators reached him.

A riot followed. The villagers, maddened by the killing of their policeman, circled about the tent in the wildest excitement. Some, already armed with knives and pistols, but without a leader, advanced upon the show people, who had clustered over the bodies of the slain men, threatening to rush upon them. Others ran home, returning with rifles and shotguns.

The Mayor sent for the rest of the local police and for all the nearby constabulary, and these were thrown around the tent just in time to prevent a pitched battle.

One or two shots were fired by both sides, but did no damage, and with the arrival of more constables and deputy sheriffs the mob of villagers was driven back and the show was ordered to quit the town without delay.

The cowboys, riding their horses in a cordon about the Wild West wagons in which were the white women and the Indian squaws, guarded the show out of the village safely with the aid of drawn revolvers.

EGG-O-SEE COMPANY IN RECEIVER'S HANDS.

Bankruptcy Proceeding Against Battle Creek Breakfast Food Co.

Quincy, Ill., Oct. 28.—John E. Linehan, Secretary and General Manager of the Battle Creek Breakfast Food Company, Limited, manufacturers of "Egg-O-See," with general offices in Chicago, has been appointed receiver of the property and business of the company. The action was taken quietly, on the application of B. S. McCoy, of Buffalo, manager of the Buffalo plant of the company, representing, as stated in the petition, the interests involved. The concern has a plant here.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—Bankruptcy proceedings were begun in the United States District Court here against the Battle Creek Breakfast Food Company. The petition asserts the liabilities of the company to be from $400,000 to $500,000, and the assets, $200,000.

Ovations for Laurier in Ottawa.

Ottawa, Oct. 29.—With bands and torches the people of Ottawa welcomed back Sir Wilfried Laurier, who was elected for this city and who was returned Premier of Canada with a majority of possibly sixty-three in the Commons. Every member of the Government, with the exception of William Templeman, has been reelected.

Spanish Cardinal Dead At 74.

Barcelona, Spain, Oct. 29.—Monsignor Salvador Cacanas y Pages, Cardinal Bishop of Barcelona, died in this city of apoplexy to-day. He was born in 1834 and was created a Cardinal in 1895.

UNITED STATES NAVY RIFLE TEAM IS VICTORIOUS.

Our Gunners Defeated Melbourne and Sydney Marksmen, but Lost in New Zealand.

Washington, Oct. 29.—President Roosevelt has been made acquainted through a report submitted to the Navy Department by Lieutenant Harris Laning of some details of splendid work of the battleship fleet rifle team in defeating the Melbourne, Australia, rifle club, said in the report to be probably as strong a team as could be put up in Australia. The Navy riflemen also beat a team in Sydney, but was defeated by one from Auckland by a small margin.

The contest with the Melbourne club was held on the 3d of September under very unfavorable conditions, the score resulting in a total of 1,414 for the Americans and 1,369 for the Australians. In this match the fleet team used the pointed bullets, and this undoubtedly helped the American score, but the match, Lieutenant Laning says, was really won by the splendid coaching of Midshipmen Allen, Thomson, Giffin, Vossler, Stover and Jones. The highest score was made by Corporal Farquharson, Marine Corps, of the Connecticut, who made 99 out of a possible 105, and thereby won for his vessel the temporary possession of the Auckland trophy, held by the ship whose representative makes the highest score in the match against any British or Colonial team. Firing in all the matches was at 200, 500 and 600 yards.

At Sydney the fleet rifle team defeated a team made up from the councils of the National Rifle Association and the Metropolitan Association. The match was onesided, the fleet team out-shooting its opponents at all ranges, defeating them by nearly 6½ points a man. The fleet team, Lieutenant Laning says, shot splendidly, and the local riflemen said that the score put up by it could not be surpassed by any team of twenty men selected from all Australia. The high score was made by Midshipman Stover, 102 out of a possible 105. The total scores were: Fleet team, 1,884; Australians, 1,775.

The twenty-five men with whom the naval team contested at Auckland, the report says, are considered the cream of the New Zealand rifle shots. The Naval team had not had the best of practice, and it was beaten by a score of 2,311 for Auckland, against 2,262 for the fleet men.

MOTHER KILLS TWINS

Picks Out the One Morphine in Bottle of Calomel Tablets.

Jackson, Miss., Oct. 28.—Mrs. Horace Butterworth unintentionally gave her three-months-old boy twins morphine to-day and they died within a few minutes.

A negro servant while doing up Mrs. Butterworth's bedchamber found a morphine tablet on the floor, and thinking it was a calomel tablet, a bottle of which was beside the twins' cradle, dropped it in the bottle.

Soon afterward Mrs. Butterworth took one of the tablets out and divided it between the twins, giving half a grain to each. It proved to be the morphine tablet.

A GIRL'S FACE SACRED

But if It was Pictured Before 1903, Why That Is Different.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 26.—The Court of Appeals upheld the constitutionality of the act passed by the Legislature of 1903, designed to prevent without consent the use of a person's photograph for advertising or trade purposes. The court affirms a judgement of the lower courts in awarding $1,000 damages to Aida T. Phodes of New York, who sued the Sperry & Hutchinson Company for displaying her picture in its New York office without consent.

The court, in an opinion by Judge Willard Bartlett, holds that the law is not applicable to photographs taken prior to 1903.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wholesale Prices of Farm Products Quoted for the Week.

WHEAT—No. 2, Red, $1.07¼ @ $1.08¼. N. 1, Northern Duluth, $1.10½.
CORN—No. 2, 78¾ @ 79¼.
OATS—Mixed, white 52 52½
BUTTER—Western firsts, 23@25½. State Dairy, 22@24.
CHEESE—State full cream, 13¼ @ 14¼.
MILK—Per quart, 3¾ c.
EGGS—State and nearby fancy, 38@40; do., good to choice, 32@36 western fancy 23½ @27.
SHEEP—Per 100 lbs., $2.00@$4.00.
BEEVES—City Dressed, 7@10½.
CALVES—City Dressed, 8@14.
HOGS—Live Per 100 lbs., $5.00@$5.65.
HAY—Prime per 100 lbs., 87½c.
STRAW—Long Rye, per 100 lbs., 80
LIVE POULTRY—Spring Chickens per lb., 14c.; Turkeys per lb., 14c.; Ducks per lb., 12@13c.; Fowls per lb., 14c.
DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys per lb., 12@20., Fowls per lb., 11@14½c.; Chickens, Phila., per lb., 15@22.
VEGETABLES—Potatoes, Jersey, per bbl., $1.50@$1.85.
ONIONS—White, per basket, 75@1.25.

WASHINGTON

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 26, 1908.

That President Roosevelt would quit the White House to loll about Oyster Bay doing nothing no one has ever predicted but the interest the people have taken in the future is expressed in the almost daily reports of some new enterprise in which he is to engage The latest is to the effect that after his return from Africa he will become associated with Dr. Lyman Abbott in the publication of the Outlook. So far the rumor has not been denied by the expert denyer Mr. Loeb, and it is possible that it has some foundation in fact. No doubt the President will continue to desire an audience only a little less than the public desires to hear from him but it is problematical if he will find work on any magazine sufficient to occupy his time and vigor. The advertising that the Outlook gets from the report is no doubt beneficial to that journal and it is probable that it will eventually have contributions from him but the idea of the President battling with the printer's devil and reading the manuscripts of poems on Spring and other ambitious topics is not in accord with the popular conception of his tastes and abilities. President Cleveland it is said, felt an intense reaction from the arduous political life he had led after his retirement and in his own correspondence he laments the inability to take an interest in the small affairs of life saying that he felt like a steam engine hitched to a milk wagon when he had to concern himself with them. How much more will Roosevelt feel the change, leaving it after such a strenuous career and still in the prime of life and ambition. It is probable that it is the recognition of this psychical state that has determined him to break the fall by a hunting trip to Africa where in the jungle he will work off some of the energy that has for such a long period been expended on Congress and the many reforms he has undertaken. To many of his friends during the last year he has declared that he did not know what he should do when he "lost his job" but as he is not the man to sit down and weep for more worlds to conquer he will be apt to do the thing which comes to hand and to continue to do more of them than any man we know anything about. It may be that the accounts of his trip which he has already agreed to supply Scribner's and later political articles for the Outlook are simply his way of "marking time" until something more important turns up for him to do.

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The agitation at the National Capital over the work of making more safe the public schools from fire and other dangers would be of little more than local importance were it not that it is being repeated in nearly every city of the country. The great school fire in Cleveland last winter in which so many little children were sacrificed to the stupidity and carelessness of the school authorities gave the impetus to this movement which like so many others in this country is being carried to excess in many ections. There are few peoples stupid or wicked enough to say thats any reasonable safeguard for public school children is unnecessary but it is lamentable to see parents and public men committed to extravagances in this line from the greed of those who have something to sell in the fire escape line. Overwrought and hysterical people everywhere are having their feelings worked upon by those who have something to sell that is claimed to guarantee the lives and safety of their children. If a man has a lot suitable for a new school building he may be justified in warning all the parents in that district that the school children are imperiled in the old building but it takes a degree of common sense to investigate the charge before having an emotional spasm over it. The average public school is as safe as the average home to say the least and at any rate the person who has reared one or more children never does cease to wonder how any child ever survived the perils that constantly menace it. The only safe means to take in the present agitation is that involving the use of the same common sense applied to other business propositions and to avoid the influence of the sensational reformers and most of all the man-who-has-something-to-sell.

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There is no lack of local politics in Washington during these remaining pre-election days. As all the world knows we have an "ideal" system of Government in the District of Columbia. There is no suffrage here. If a resident of the city wants to vote he must by fiction have a domicile in some state or territory and go there to deposit his unique and delicate ballot. The citizen of Washington is a disfranchised resident merely. Nevertheless Mr. McFarland, the chairman of the three commissioners who rule the District hath told us this is an ideal government, hath told the world so in Chatauquan addresses and McFarland is a plausible man. But in spite of this assurance to the Chatauquas a majority of the people of the District are getting tired of this ideal "faultily faultless, icily regular, splendidly null" government and are clamoring for a change. The government is by a triumvirate, presumably one democrat, one republican, and an army officer called the Engineer Commissioner. The gentlemen are often at loggerheads and are frequently shifting the responsibility from one to another, resulting in much tergiversation and indecision.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be sold at public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, county and state aforesaid, on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7, '08

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CHAS. B. ENT,
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C. W. Miller, Attorney. 10-15-4t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Theodosia B. McHenry, late of Jackson Township, Deceased.

The undersigned appointed an auditor by the Orphans' Court of Columbia County to pass upon exceptions to the final account of A. Z. McHenry, administrator, and to make distribution of the fund found to be in the administrator's hands, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg, Pa., on Wednesday, November 11, 1908 at 10 o'clock a. m., to perform the duties of his appointment, when and where all parties interested in the fund in the hands of the administrator of said deceased will appear and prove the same or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

A. N. YOST,
Auditor.

10-15-4t.

NOTICE.

In the Orphans' Court of Columbia County } In re estate of P. K. Patterson

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the said Orphans' Court by the undersigned for letters of administration on the estate of said P. K Patterson, who has been absent from the place of his last domicile, viz: Greenwood Township, in this County and Commonwealth, for more than seven years last past and his whereabouts unknown, and the said Court has fixed Monday, December 7th, 1908, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day as the time to hear the evidence concerning the alleged absence of the supposed decedent and the circumstances and duration thereof.

B. F. BATTIN.

Clinton Herring, Att'y. 10-1-5t.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given by John A. Moran, of Centralia, Pa, a registered student at law in the office of William Chrisman, of the Columbia county bar, Bloomsburg, Pa., and the Dickinson School of Law, Carlisle, Pa., that he will, on or before the 17th day of November, 1908, file his credentials with, and make application to, the State Board of Law Examiners, to be examined by said Board on the 8th and 9th days of December, 1908, for admission to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

10-22-4t.

ELECTION NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bloomsburg Land Improvement Company for the election of a President, Board of Directors and Treasurer and the transaction of the general business of the company will be held at the office of the Company in the Ent Building, Bloomsburg, Pa., on Monday, the 23rd day of November A. D. 1908, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1908.

EXTRACTS FROM SPEECHES OF HON. JOHN G. McHENRY DELIVERED IN CONGRESS.

From McHenry's Mines and Mining Speech, March 18, 1908.

To hide behind the Constitution and to plead paternalism has long been the playground of predatory interests. If you agree with me that the principles embodied in this bill are meritorious, and surely there is no gentleman in this House or any American citizen worthy of the name who would raise one word of objection to levying this paltry tax of 1 cent per ton on coal, even though he were obliged to pay the 1 cent per ton on the amount of coal he used. Then taking it for granted that you agree that the law would be a good law, and granted further that it may be unconstitutional in its present form, then I invite your co-operation to help amend the bill in order that it may pass favorably under the scrutinizing eye of the Supreme Court of the United States. In the last analysis the power of constitutionality rests with the Supreme Court, so the final interpretation of our laws is largely a question of human judgment. Take, for instance, the decision of the Supreme Court upon the question of the income tax; four of the distinguished members of the Supreme Court agreed that the income tax was constitutional, five members of the court affirmed that it was not constitutional; thus we see a great principle of government resting upon the final determination of one man.

Had five members of the Supreme Court voted for the income tax instead of four, the income tax would have been declared constitutional and would now be a law, and placing a portion of the burden of taxation rightfully where it belongs. So, I repeat, that the interpretation of law and Constitution resolves itself more frequently into a question of human judgment rather than a technical knowledge of the law. If, however, the lawyers in this body, for whose opinion I have the most profound respect, agree that in its present form my bill is unconstitutional, then I am willing to have it changed, provided the three underlying purposes of the bill are not destroyed or are accomplished in another way.

From McHenry's Mines and Mining Speech, March 18, 1908.

The Congress shall have power to lay and collect taxes, duties, imposts, and excises, to pay the debts and provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United States; but all duties, imposts, and excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

Mr. Chairman, I have never been quite able to bring my mind into acquiescence with an interpretation of this language to justify the imposing of vast burdens upon the majority of the people in order that unearned largesses may be paid to a few. It has always seemed to me that this is an atrocious abuse of the taxing power. Recently the President of the National Association of Manufacturers, a Mr. Van Cleave, in a statement made in this city, declared that "It is estimated by competent authorities that the graft, overcharge, and wrong done to the American public because of the present tariff reaches three million ($3,000,000) dollars a working day." This vast sum of money does not go into the Treasury of the United States. It goes into the pockets of the trust barons or into the vaults of the favored trusts.

From McHenry's Mines and Mining Speech, March 18, 1908.

The time has come in the history of human events and in the progress of the American nation when greater emphasis must be fixed upon what has heretofore been a somewhat neglected, though the greatest, asset of our nation, and that is the lives and happiness of our men and women who toil.

A woman when she puts her money in the bank has the same feeling as when she leaves her best friend in the graveyard.

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PAPER FROM CORNSTALKS.

Chemists of the Bureau of Forestry and of the Bureau of Plant Industry, of the Department of Agriculture, at Washington, believe that they have solved the Problem of a cheaper paper that will dispense with the use of wood fibre. The new material is the ordinary cornstalk, and officials of the department predicted that when the manufacture of the new kind of papers is started on a large scale it will be at least 50 per cent. cheaper than the print paper now made from wood pulp.

Dr. H. S. Bristol has carried experiments for the making of paper in five grades.

Millions of tons of cornstalks will be available for this new manufacture. At present the stalks are destroyed in enormous quantities to get them out of the way.

The chemists have used in their experiments the "soda cooked" process, which has been found the best for making the finer grades of wood pulp paper. The cornstalks need only two and a half hours of cooking, against the 14 hours needed to soften the wood pulp.

Squirrels for Normal Grove.

Again an effort is being made by Prof. D. S. Hartline of the Normal School, to raise gray squirrels in the Normal grove, a step in that line having been made last week when a number were released and ample preparations made for their comfort in the way of food and protection. Several boxes have been placed on the trees in the grove and they are furnished daily with nuts and other food. This with a permanent supply of water in the grove will keep them there until they become tame, providing the people of the town co-operate with the authorities at the school in protecting them from thoughtless hunters and boys. A previous effort was made to raise them and several were placed in the grove and cared for, but they were gradually killed until finally none remained.

Prof. Hartline says that he will also liberate a number of chipmunks in the grove. It now rests with the people of the town whether they will have the grove stocked with the cunning animals or whether they will allow them to be stoned and killed as those previously placed in the grove have been. It should be the duty of every citizen to protect them as their own private property and any one caught molesting them in any way should be reported and punished.

The North American has undertaken to advise the people as to whom they should voted for Congress. That their object is one of partisan purpose and the value of their opinion, can be determined by their statement made in their issue of October 26th, 1906 with reference to Congressman Benjamin K. Focht of the 17th Congressional District, and their statement in a recent issue in this campaign in their extraordinary efforts to reelect a Republican House. The hypocrisy of the political efforts of the *North American* has become so shockingly apparent as to mislead no one and to make many of their so called reform efforts a farce

STATEMENT MADE IN OCTOBER 26th, 1906 ISSUE.

"As a member of the House of Representatives and State Senate at Harrisburg, Focht was active in promoting hundreds of crooked Gang measures, and prided himself on his expertness in the business and the dullness of his conscience. His name, as author, is attached to some of the most notorious acts that ever emanated from the Legislature such as that which opened the way for the trolley franchise grabs in Philadelphia, Scranton and elsewhere, and the bungle ballot law devised to hinder independent voting."

STATEMENT MADE IN OCTOBER 23rd, 1908 ISSUE.

"Among the untried men is Representative Focht, of the Seventeenth District. He can be judged only by his record as a member of the State Legislature. As he was active and influential in that body, it can be presumed that he will cut something of a figure in the House. Thus far he has devoted himself to learning the ways of the House and watching the proceedings closely. As a new member he has no committee assignments which are regarded as important. Yet as a member of the committee on patents he has started an inquiry into patent laws and practices which may have an important bearing upon Legislation.

Focht is a good talker and when he has become accustomed to his surroundings should prove an effective man in debate. He is entitled to re-election if for no other reason than to prove the material there is in him."

President as Fund Collector.

The president causes it to be announced that he will not take the stump for Taft, for the reason that it is not necessary. It would have been more truthful to say that Taft's cause would not be promoted by it; for the general opinion we believe to be that it needs all the help it can get, and the president is very much interested in getting it for him. He is taking a very active part in supervising the Republican campaign, and is now reputed to be intent upon promoting the financial end of it. The presidential influence of his direction is very great, and we may rely upon its being used vigorously in this campaign, as it was in the last.

The current is setting so strongly toward Bryan that all the people see it and we may be sure that the president does. He may be wise if he relinquishes his purpose to traverse the country in behalf of Taft through the persuasion that has been brought to him that this would do his candidate far more harm than good. He does all that he can do for him in showing his followers that he earnestly desires his election. There is no doubt that they are all persuaded of this, and that all who can be influenced by his opinion will vote for Taft. And there are, without doubt, very many. There are a vast number of people who believe that he is a great and wise man, and that his counsel is good to follow. There are people who do not know, doubtless, as much as they think they do, or they would not have so exalted an opinion of Roosevelt's political integrity and wisdom. He would not be likely to increase his power over them personally going about among them proclaiming his opinion.

There is no reason to question the fact that the Republican candidate will have the corporation influence that the Republican party has all along commanded. It will have it because of the force of habit, if for no other reason. It will have it, also, because the men who have given it heretofore and found their reward in it, will give it again for the same reason. This is the effective assistance which the president can give and which we are assured that he will give under the necessity which requires it. These interests will not feel safe in deserting their old alliances, having nowhere else to go. They will certainly respond to the demand upon them for their support, however coy they will pretend to be; and it may be that the need for his attention to this part of the Republican campaign work has much to do with the president's conclusion to stay in Washington.—*Lancaster Intelligencer.*

Former Rectors Here.

One of the many pleasant features of the Archdeaconry meeting held this week was the presence of two former rectors of St. Paul's church. One was the Rev. John Hewitt of Bellefonte, who was the incumbent from 1870 to 1877. It was during his rectorship that the first pipe organ was placed in the church, largely through his efforts. It was purchased in 1874 and did excellent service for twenty-four years.

In 1872 and 1873 Mr. Hewitt was Principal of the Normal School and filled that position very acceptably while still serving as rector.

He was accompanied here by Mrs Hewitt, it being her first visit here in twenty-five years.

Though thirty years have passed since their departure they still have many warm friends here. They returned home on Wednesday.

The other former rector was Rev. Roland S. Nichols, now of Newark, N. J., who was rector for two years, resigning about three years ago. He is not a member of the Archdeaconry, but was here as a guest, and he received a very warm welcome from his former parishioners.

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A Deserted Village.

Muncy Valley, Sullivan county, has lost half its population because of the closing down of the Union Tanning Company, which was the only industry in the place. Many hands employed at the tannery were foreigners.

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MR. McHENRY'S RECORD.

Two years ago next Tuesday the voters of the Sixteenth Congress district elected Hon. John G. McHenry to the important office of Representative in Congress. It was his first venture in the public life of the country. He had never previously run for any office and had always been inclined to repel suggestions that he run for office. The success didn't "turn his head" however. The distinction conferred didn't make him "chesty" or arrogant. On the contrary it turned his mind to the contemplation of the grave responsibilities that devolved upon him. On the day after the election he issued the following address to the voters of the district:

To the Voters of the Sixteenth Congressional district:

"I owe my election to the people and will be faithful to my obligations to the people.

"The day of bossism in politics and one man government is past. I want every voter to feel an interest in my work as Representative of this splendid district in the National legislature.

"I want every man, woman and child in the district to feel that through me he or she will have a free voice in the management of this government while I am a Congressman.

"I want the farmers, miners and all wage earners to feel that they will have a friend in Washington who will always stand for their best interests.

"In the consideration of all questions I will ever have for my motto: 'Is it for the best interest of our district and our country?'

"I thank you all for your loyal support and will strive by honest and untiring effort to merit the confidence you have reposed in me.

Faithfully yours,
JOHN G. McHENRY."

Those were the modest but earnest words of a man upon whom had been conferred a great distinction by his fellow citizens. Now let us see how he has "kept the faith."

He introduced forty-eight bills during the first session of his first term several of which were on the most important subjects. He presented the first bill of the session to abolish the tariff tax on lumber, bark, and kindred products of the forest, which had been recommended by the President. He offered an amendment to the agricultural appropriation for distributing information among the farmers. He introduced the first bill providing for the government guarantee of bank deposits and another providing for the issue of emergency currency when necessary to avoid panics. He introduced a bill to tax the product of coal mines a cent a ton in order to provide an insurance fund for the families of miners killed or seriously crippled in mine accidents, and he offered a bill to prevent the sale of fraudulent mining stocks.

Mr. McHenry introduced a bill to reduce the age limit for the service pension and one providing for the payment of pensions monthly instead of quarterly. He introduced a bill requiring banks to pay interest on government funds held on deposit and procured the passage of a bill to erect a government building at Shamokin and appropriating $75,000 for that purpose. He introduced a bill to bestow upon Hon. Russel Karns a medal of honor for hazardous and gallant service in the war of the rebellion and some forty or fifty pension bills several of which were enacted into law. He presented numerous petitions on various subjects and spoke upon the agricultural appropriation bill, the coal mine disaster bill, the Emergency currency bill, in favor of a larger issue of farmers' bulletins by the agricultural department, on financial legislation, on the widow's pension bill and on taxation. Besides this he answered every letter received by him, supplied his constituents with every public document they asked for and many that they didn't ask for and kept every constituent informed on every subject of public interest.

This is the record of John G. McHenry's stewardship and we believe that it is more than a fulfillment of the modest pledge made on the morning after his election. Upon this record he asks for a renewal of his commission to represent the people of the Sixteenth Congress district and we submit that he has made good and entitled to the reward.—*Daily Mail.*

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